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MANNING HELD ON CHARGE OF MURDER

Accused as Accessory to Miss Herdman Who Killed His Wife and Ended Her Own Life—Victims Buried Today

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 9.—Accused as an accessory to Miss Hazel Herdman, the mother of his 18 months old boy, who on Friday shot and killed his wife and then ended her own life the following day after confessing her crime, Charles f. Manning today was held in custody while funeral services were held over the bodies of the two victims of the love drama.

From his cell Manning made the arrangements for the funeral of his wife, while Arthur J. Herdman, the Pompton Turnpike tunkeeper, claimed the body of his daughter and arranged for its burial.

Early today the police detained Mrs. Sadie E. Garrabrants, sister of Manning, with whom he has lived since his separation from his wife. She is held as a material witness in the case.

The charge of murder against Manning, the police said, was decided upon early today after the accused man had been questioned off and on since late Saturday. Statements made by two women and a young man who were also brought to headquarters influenced the police to bring the murder charge against Manning. One of the witnesses was Mrs. Garrabrants. The identity of the other two witnesses was kept a secret by the police.

Miss Herdman in her statement attempted to exonerate Manning, but Chief Long says that evidence had been unearthed to show that he was an accessory and that he took Miss Herdman in his auto before the murder was committed.

KILLED BY FALL

Fred Cloutier Met Fatal Accident at His Home on Webster Street

Fred Cloutier of 33 Webster street met with a fatal accident Saturday night when he fell down a flight of stairs at his home. Unconscious and suffering from a fracture of the skull, he was removed to St. John's hospital, where he passed away a few hours later. The remains were viewed by Medical Examiner J. Y. Meigs, who pronounced death due to accident.

TO FIND MISSING GIRL

MAN TO TAKE MOTHER OF ARLIN GIRL TO SUPPOSED HIDING PLACE

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—William E. English, secretary of the Hospital Reform association, has promised to make good his statement that he knows the whereabouts of Miss Eleanor Arlin, the missing Brookline stenographer.

From Colebrook, N. H., today, will come Mrs. Jane Arlin, the mother of the girl whose whereabouts has baffled police, private detectives and boy scout searchers for nearly a month.

Mr. English has promised to reveal the whereabouts of the girl, whom he insists he has seen and knows to be Miss Arlin. The arrangements for the end of the almost country-wide search for the girl were completed yesterday.

To Miss Marion K. Brown, an intimate friend of Miss Arlin, English yesterday declared he knew Miss Arlin to be confined in a sanitarium within 10 miles of Boston.

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BOYS DROWNED

Coasted Onto Thin Ice in Pond Near Their Home in Boston

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—The bodies of Robert and Albert Coleman, eight and six years old, sons of John Coleman, a laborer, were found under the ice in a small pond near their home in Forrest Hills today. The children left home yesterday with their sleds. It is believed they coasted onto thin ice.

BAPTISTS TO MEET

WORKERS' CONFERENCE WILL OPEN AT 3.30 O'CLOCK THIS AFTERNOON

A workers' conference is to be held this afternoon in the First Baptist church on Church street under the auspices of the Sunday schools of the Merrimack River Baptist association. The session will be called to order at 3.30 o'clock and the following topics will be discussed at the time noted:

At 3.30, "Church Attendance Reinforced from the Bible School," Rev. C. H. Howe, South Framinghum; 4, "A Standard of Excellence for Baptist Bible Schools," Mr. Harry V. Meyer, Boston; 4.30, "Some Effective Methods of Sunday School Work," Rev. York A. King, Lawrence; 4.45, special conferences for young men led by Mr. Ralph W. Channell of Malden. Topic, "The Boys' Auxiliary and What It Means." 4.45, special conference for young women led by Mrs. Claude E. Patch of Stoneham. Topic, "The Girls' Helpful and What It Stands For." 6, supper in the church parlors; 6.45, "A Problem that needs to be met," Claude E. Patch, Stoneham; 7.15, "The Church, the School and the Home," Mrs. Florence Cameron Ladd, Boston; 7.45, closing address, "The Heart of the Bible," Rev. Floyd L. Carr, Roslindale.

LACOURSE IN PRISON

MISSING HUSBAND IS FOUND IN HOUSE OF CORRECTION—SENT FROM READING

The mysterious disappearance of Ernest Lacourse of 93 Pawtucket street, who left home on Jan. 17 and has not been heard from since, was solved this morning, when The Sun was informed by officials at the Reading police station that Lacourse was arrested in Reading on Jan. 17 for drunkenness and was sentenced to the house of correction in Cambridge for a term of three months.

For Boys

Ask your doctor how often he prescribes an alcoholic stimulant for children. He will probably say, "Very, very rarely." Ask him how often he prescribes a tonic for them. He will probably answer, "Very, very frequently." Then ask him about Ayer's non-alcoholic Sarsaparilla.

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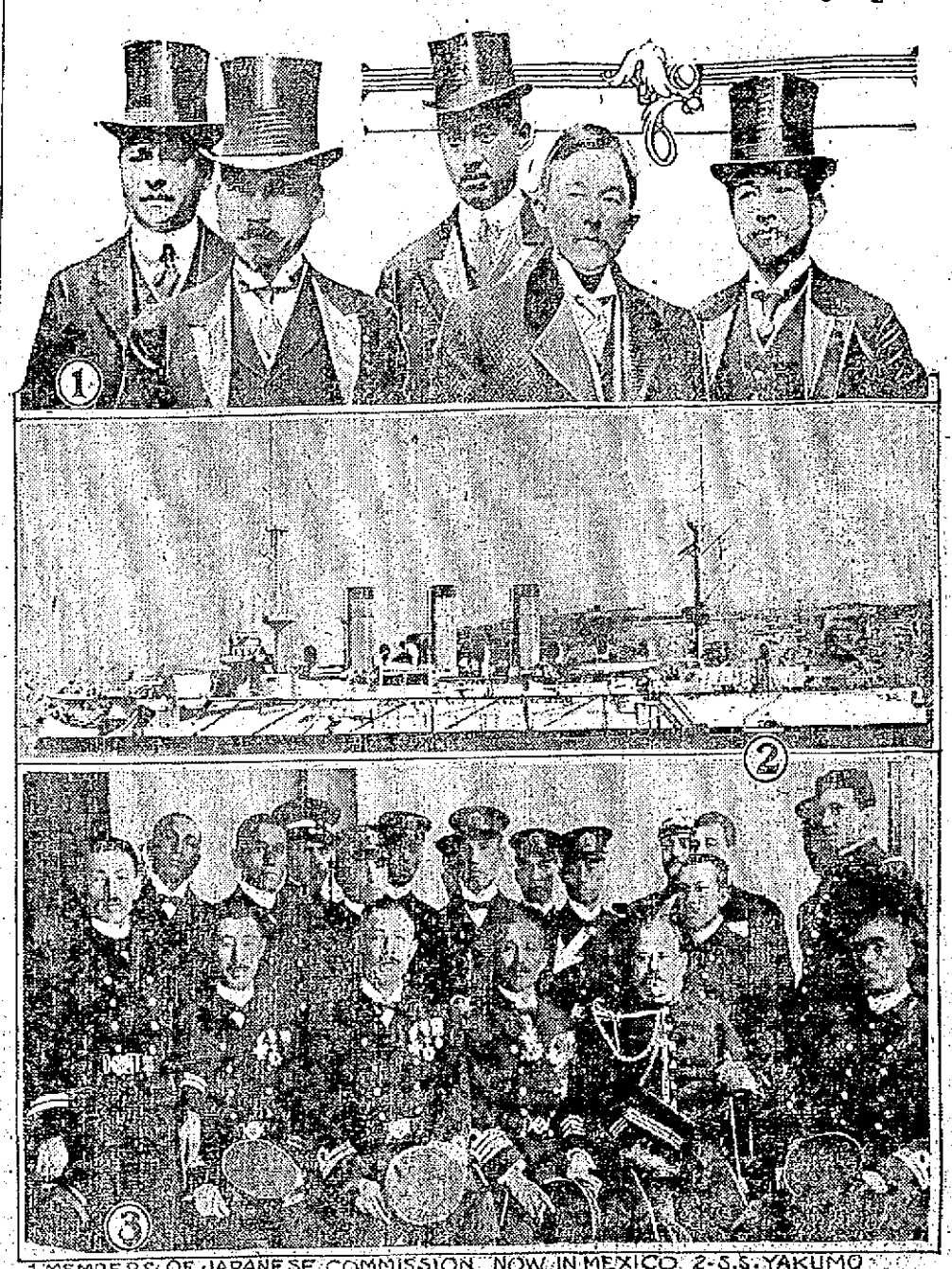

1-MEMBERS OF JAPANESE COMMISSION NOW IN MEXICO. 2-S.S. YAKUMO 3-COMMANDER AND OFFICERS OF YAKUMO.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 9.—It is evident to close observers here that Japan is taking keen interest in the developments in the Mexican situation. The Japanese commission sent here by the Mikado has been active in examining into conditions throughout the central sections of the republic, and it is rumored that the members desire oil concessions for their nation. The Japanese battleship Yakumo, on the west coast, is keeping a vigilant eye and is ready to land a force of marines should the lives of foreigners be threatened. The illustration shows the Japanese commission photographed in Mexico City, the battleship Yakumo and her officers. The arrow indicates the commander of the vessel.

Berlin, Feb. 9.—According to a prominent member of the kaiser's court, it is the opinion in the highest military and naval circles that the questions at issue between the United States and Japan are graver than is generally believed and will become acute the moment the former country decides on military intervention in Mexico. This member of the emperor's entourage said in an interview: "The almost complete isolation of the United States from a political viewpoint in the last two years, combined with the Japanese question, is being closely but quietly watched by the German government. It is no secret that it is believed in diplomatic circles in Berlin that there will be grave danger of war between the United States and Japan if the former country maintains its present indifferent if not antagonistic attitude toward Japan's demand for a settlement of the questions now pending, especially if there should be any further anti-Japanese legislation in America."

B. & M. CAR SHOPS START WITH 300 MEN

Five Special Cars Left Lowell This Morning Carrying Workmen Who Stop in This City—Newcomers to Lowell Have a Jolly Time

Merrimack square was thronged with hundreds of strange men before sunrise this morning. They were all strangers, the men who came here Saturday from Keene, N. H., to go to work in the new repair shops of the Boston & Maine.

They were indeed a happy lot and made all manner of fun as they boarded special cars for the scene of their labors. The street railway men realized they had to contend with a rather unusual proposition, but they proved equal to the emergency and had the necessary extra cars ready on schedule time.

At the Shops

The doors of the big repair shops of the Boston & Maine Railroad Co. in Billerica were thrown open to the workmen this morning and about 300 men were assigned to duty. Over half of these people who arrived in Lowell Saturday morning have hired rooms in this city and they will travel to the cars shops by electric cars, their first trip being made this morning at 6.10 o'clock from Merrimack square.

The Bay State Street Railway Co. had made arrangements to take care of the many early passengers and in order not to delay the regular traffic of the cars on the Boston line, a new cross-over has been installed near the junction of the Boston road and High street in Billerica.

The merry crowd of workmen left Merrimack square in five special cars this morning and the scene at the square was something in the nature of a picnic.

The party consisted of young men and old men, all experienced workers in their respective lines. The cars arrived at the stopping place about 6.45 o'clock and then the men covered the distance to the shop on foot, a good 15 minutes' walk.

The workmen reported at the office of the company and from there they were assigned to the different foremen in the locomotive plant. Work was started soon after 7 o'clock and for the first time the whistle of the large repair shop was blown. The men were immediately assigned to their respective jobs and before noon the machinery was running smoothly and from the sound of the hammers, the whirr of machinery and the general surroundings, one might imagine the plant had been running for weeks.

Some time of course was spent in the distribution of men to their various tasks, but the bosses and foremen are good disciplinarians and they soon had all details arranged for the day's work.

A number of those who arrived in Lowell Saturday from Keene and Concord, N. H. have been successful in securing rooms in Billerica, but others who prefer city life came directly to Lowell and have secured suitable quarters. The only inconvenience for all workmen is the long walk from the car tracks to the shops, but still that is better than traveling on the steam railroad.

The employes of the car shops will work nine hours a day, that is from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. with one hour for dinner. This afternoon at five o'clock the special cars will convey the machinists back to Lowell, and until further arrangements are made by the Bay State company special cars will run to the shops morning and night. The men are of the opinion that in the spring the Bay State company will extend the South Lowell tracks to the shops, and it is fair to assume that this improvement will be welcomed by all, even if the company were to run cars only morning and night.

A number of the workmen who arrived Saturday have already looked over the ground to purchase land upon which they intend building homes, and it may be but a short time before many of them have their families removed to Billerica or Lowell. Most of the men who came from Keene, and Concord owned their homes in the latter cities, and as soon as they can dispose of them they will either build or purchase residences in the vicinity of the shops, for, as one stated, they have come to stay. The shop will be running full force in about three months at which time it is expected outside help will be hired.

Local Machinists Waiting

One of the old employes of the Lowell Machine shop stated this morning that many of the men now at work at the "Big Shop" are patiently awaiting the time that outsiders will be hired at the car shops, for they feel certain that the wages will be much higher than in the local shops, and that working conditions will be better. He said a number of men have already filed their application with the officials of the car shops and as soon as their services are wanted they will leave the old land mark and enter a new field of work. What the officials of the "Big Shop" will do to retain their help is not known, but many feel that an increase in wages is forthcoming, for they believe this is the only practical way to keep the help in the "Big shop," if such men are looked for by the Boston & Maine company.

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OIL EXPLOSIONS DROVE FIREMEN OFF LADDERS

Fire Destroyed Five Story Brick Building Occupied by Wawood Company, in Atlantic Avenue, Boston, Today

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Stifling smoke and frequent explosions of oil tanks drove the firemen from their ladders at a fire which destroyed a five story brick building occupied by the Wawood Co., dealers in lubricating oils in Atlantic avenue, early today. Streams directed from the elevated railway structure and roofs and adjoining buildings prevented a spread of the flames to other structures along the water front. The loss was estimated at $50,000.

IN POLICE COURT

John, Maurice and Andrew Vilda were charged with drunkenness and Officer Maloney told the court that a man had told him that the three had assaulted him. The man who alleged the assault, however, did not put in an appearance and the three defendants were released, as it was their first offence. J. Joseph O'Connor, Esq., appeared for the defence.

Officers Maloney and Sullivan testified that Michael Antoniovitch, James Pronca and Alexander St. Tuska were three very drunk individuals Saturday night. The first defendant was beaten up badly and covered with blood when arrested. None of the defendants had imbibed a single glass of beer if their own testimony was to be accepted.

Judge Enright believed the testimony of the officers rather than the tale of the defendants and fined them each $5.

Thomas J. O'Neil went to the state farm. He was out under a suspended sentence to that institution and got loaded up and was arrested Saturday night.

Frank Lynn, a third offender, was fined $15 and allowed two months to pay it in. The court promised Lynn a trip to Bridgewater if he appeared again. Mary J. Brown was fined $6 for drunkenness.

FUNERAL NOTICES

LEARNED—Died Oct. 7, at his home in Wamesit, Henry J. Learned, aged 71 years. Funeral services will be held from his late home in Wamesit, Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 10, at two o'clock. Friends invited to attend. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Young and Blake.

TANCRED—The funeral of Miss Katherine A. Tancred will take place tomorrow morning from her home, 28 Walker street, at 8 o'clock. A mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial at St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

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PARLIAMENTARY BATTLE

In British Parliament Will Open Tomorrow — Home Rule the Leading Issue

LONDON, Feb. 10—After the longest vacation that members have enjoyed since the liberal party came into power eight years ago, parliament reassembles tomorrow for a session that promises to be full of hard work and excitement. There are not only the home rule and the Welsh disestablishment bills, which come up for third passage and then to become law despite anything the lords may do, but there is a great mass of other business which will compel the government to fight continuously to hold the confidence of the house of commons. From start to finish of a session a British government must keep on the alert to prevent an adverse vote, which, if it has the backing of a majority of the members, means the retirement of the ministry. The danger will be more acute than ever during this session.

Under Fire

From the moment that King George leaves the house of lords after delivering his speech from the throne, opening the proceedings, the government will be under fire, not only from their unionist opponents, but on several questions from liberals as well. Fortunately for the government it probably will have the support of many unionists on the questions that th revolting radicals will choose for their attacks.

The session will open with debate on the reply to the speech from the throne. This reply outlines the government's measures and members of the house are privileged to criticise it at any point they desire. For example, some member may move an amendment expressing regret that the government did not accept the invitation to have an official British exhibit at the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco. It is expected such a motion will be made and it probably will receive considerable support.

But the real test of government strength is more likely to be taken on some more important subject. Some way will probably be found for bringing up the Irish question, although the home rule bill is already before parliament and is therefore excluded from this preliminary debate on the government's program. A motion might be made, however, regretting that the negotiations for settling the Ulster situation had failed and this would mean a test vote.

Every unionist member has been requested to be present on the opening day and no pairs with opponents are being granted, so it appears certain that the opposition plans to force the government to either resign or dissolve parliament.

The Ulster faction under Sir Edward Carson will start upon a policy of obstruction by which if possible the government may be forced into a dissolution.

The government forces, however, are still unbroken and it is expected the ministry will be able to weather every storm.

TONSILS GOOD FRIENDS

DOCTOR CAUTIONS AGAINST TENDENCY OF PRESENT DAY PHYSICIANS TO REMOVE THEM

BOSTON, Feb. 7.—The tendency of present day doctors to urge the removal of tonsils for the most trivial throat trouble was cautioned against by Dr. Algernon Coolidge, Jr., in a lecture at the Harvard Medical school yesterday.

He defined a very important function that he considered tonsils might perform in the throat of a human being. The mouth and nose, he said, are the only portals for the body as a protection against disease. The tissue, or tonsils, that surround these portals take all germs passing through and hide them away in its crypts.

"It is highly probable," added the doctor, "that here in the crypts of the tonsils is generated the anti-toxin that makes us immune from certain diseases that surround us." At any rate, the tonsils may be of use, and as long as they do no harm should be left alone, was his contention.

"Up to 20 years ago there were no operations for tonsils," said Dr. Coolidge. "Yet it is not a new disease that affects this tissue and gives reason for the modern operation. The good results of such operations and the fact that it involves little or no danger tempts the physicians to recommend the removal of tonsils too frequently.

"It has become a popular operation. A simple attack of tonsilitis or a sore throat should not be sufficient grounds for this operation.

"An important factor is the seriousness of the trouble. If the patient is threatened with a serious disease it would be a matter of neglect not to perform this simple surgery. If the tonsils are very large and are swollen frequently, if there are frequent attacks of tonsilitis or recurring abscesses, then there should be immediate cause for an operation.

"The same is true of adenoids. If a child shows persistent breathing through the mouth, snoring at night or symptoms of deafness, an examination would probably show that the adenoids are at fault.

"Washes and sprays cannot be depended upon. They are all right if the trouble is on the surface of the mucous membrane, but if the trouble lies deep beneath the surface, in the crypts of the tonsils for instance, the only remedy is to resort to surgery.

"The operation should be considered seriously and only submitted to when one is convinced that recurring sickness is due to diseased tonsils. A perfect healthy tonsil would be found to contain innumerable germs and bacteria upon examination. That is the part I believe the tonsils play in the mouth. Instead of the germs passing into our system they seize readily upon the tonsils. Unless there is a leakage from the crypts into the tissue and substance behind them, the tonsils care for the bacteria and no harm is done."

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A well attended meeting of Knights of Equity, court 53, was held yesterday afternoon in the Harrington building. Considerable routine business was transacted and several new members were initiated into the order. The inability of the installing officers to be present at the meeting necessitated the postponement of the scheduled installation till Tuesday evening, Feb. 17.

Lowell Council, K. of C.

The committee in charge of the coming party of the Knights of Columbus held a meeting in the rooms on Anne street yesterday afternoon and final arrangements for the affair were made. It was announced that a whist tournament would be run in connection with the event and prizes will be awarded to the winners. The members are planning on forming a glee club.

Tired Blood

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Y. M. C. I. LEAGUE

Two Good Games of Basketball Played Off Saturday

Two good basketball contests were played off Saturday in the Y. M. C. I. league, the Blues defeating the Reds, and the Whites winning their game from the Greens. Both games were close throughout and interesting enough to hold the attention of the large crowd.

Kennelick and Lyons starred for the Blues, and the shooting of Linehan for the Whites was the feature of that contest. McMahon and Haggerty also played well in this game. The scores and summaries of the two games:

BLUES	REDS
Lyons lf	rb Clark
Kennelick rf	lb Curtin
Maguire c	c Shields
Chappell rb	lf O'Neil
O'Donnell, Dilodcan lb	rf Rheault, Conroy

Score: Blues 28, Reds 22. Baskets from the floor: Lyons 5, Kennelick 5, O'Neil 4, Chappell 3, T. Clark 2, Shields 2, Conroy 2. Points on fouls: Reds 2, Blues 2. Referee: P. Clark.

WHITES	GREENS
Linnehan rf	lb McCartin
Logan lf	rb Haggerty
McMahon c	c F. Haggerty
Beane, Bradley rb	lf Beane
Gilligan lb	rf Jarrett

Score: Whites 36, Greens 32. Baskets from the floor: Linnehan 9, McMahon 5, F. Haggerty 5, Logan 4, Jarrett 4, Beane 3, McCartin 3. Points in fouls: Greens 2. Referee: King.

DROPPED DEAD IN AUTO

BRIGHTON PHYSICIAN EXPIRED WHILE RIDING WITH HIS WIFE AND FRIEND

BOSTON, Feb 9.—Dr. Horace Eugene Marion, of 5 Sparhawk street, Brighton, a well known physician, clubman and Civil war surgeon, dropped dead while riding in his limousine on Commonwealth avenue early last evening, in company with his wife and a woman friend.

Dr. Marion had shown no signs of failing health, although he was 70 years of age. He has practised his profession for over 40 years in Greater Boston.

Dr. Marion was a surgeon in the Civil war, and for some time director and surgeon in the Massachusetts National Guards. He was also Boston school inspector for a while, past grand warden of the Grand lodge of Massachusetts Masons, a graduate of Dartmouth Medical school in 1869, and a member of the state board of health Associates.

He was also a prominent clubman, and belonged to many medical societies. His wife, one son, Gardiner, and a daughter, Eva, survive him. He has been a resident of Brighton since January, 1876.

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TO EXTEND CIVIL SERVICE

TO THE APPOINTIVE POSITIONS OF THE VARIOUS COUNTIES—SEVERAL BILLS IN

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—"A determined effort will be made this year," said Secretary Arthur H. Brooks of the Massachusetts Civil Service association, Saturday, "to bring the appointive positions of the various counties of the commonwealth within the civil service laws and rules. And from present indications, it looks as though this effort would be successful.

"The number of bills which have been introduced this year calling for the extension of the civil service laws and rules to those positions show clearly enough the trend of public opinion. There is, of course, no sound reason why these positions should not be under the merit system.

"If a clerk in a department on one side of the building is working for the state and therefore is classified, why should a clerk doing similar work for the county in another part of the building not be classified?

"Fitness for the appointive position to the county should be the sole test and the test of such fitness should be the civil service examination, not the political pull.

"The uprisings against the so-called county rings that have taken place in various parts of the state have stirred up public sentiment in favor of taking the appointive offices of the counties out of politics. The introduction this year of a group of bills extending the civil service law to appointive positions in the counties is one of the first results of an awakened public demand for efficiency in the administration of county affairs."

The interest in these bills is so great that the public service committee of the legislature has assigned the entire morning of March 4th for the hearing on them. It is a little unusual for the committee to mark its calendar so far ahead, but the committee wishes to give proponents and opponents of the measures plenty of time to marshal their arguments.

THIEF SNATCHES MUFF

RITA MYERS, SEVENTH VICTIM OF SNATCH THIEF OPERATING IN SOMERVILLE

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Rita Myers, 17, of 258 Willow avenue, Somerville, is the seventh victim of the snatch thief, who has been operating so extensively and successfully in West Somerville during the past fortnight.

While on her way to church last night a young man walked up to her on Highland avenue near Henry avenue and said that he was going to walk along with her. At the same time he put his right arm in her left arm, which he held firmly and with the other hand snatched the white muff which the young woman was carrying and ran away.

The man ran down Hancock street to the Somerville Highlands station of the Boston & Maine railroad, where he took to the tracks and was lost sight of by his pursuers, who were attracted by the screams of the young woman. In his hurry to get away the fellow dropped the muff and it was picked up on Hancock street.

ADMITS MANY THEFTS

MAN ARRESTED IN LAWRENCE CONFESSES TO ROBBING STORES ALL OVER NEW ENGLAND

LAWRENCE, Feb. 9.—Mysterious shoe store robberies in many New England towns are explained, in the opinion of Captain W. H. Proctor of the state police, through the seizure here yesterday of 210 pairs of shoes from the shop of Samuel and James Tarallo and the alleged confession of Charles E. Green, who was arrested at Windsor, Vt., after a burglary there. The Tarallos gave bonds in $300 each on a charge of receiving stolen goods.

Vermont officials who accompanied the state officer here said Green mentioned in his confession burglaries in Milford, Northbridge, Norfolk, East Brookfield, South Deerfield, Essex, Upton, Northfield and Uxbridge, and also in towns in Connecticut, New Hampshire and Maine.

CONFERENCE ON UNEMPLOYMENT

A national conference on unemployment will be held in New York on Feb. 27 and 28 under the joint auspices of the American Section of the International Association on Unemployment and the American Association for Labor Legislation. Mayor John Purroy Mitchel of New York will open the conference in the city hall on the morning of Feb. 27, and mayors of the principal industrial cities as well as governors of states have appointed delegates.

Reports upon recent employment conditions will form an interesting part of the opening session, but the principal emphasis of the conference, according to the program, will be on constructive proposals for prevention of unemployment. The program includes a public meeting Friday evening, Feb. 27, in Cooper Union in joint session with the People's Institute. A prominent feature of the second day will be the discussion of plans for immediate action in the various cities and states and a luncheon meeting for the delegates at the City club at which there will be several short addresses and reports of committees.

Charles R. Crane, chairman of the Chicago commission on the unemployed, is president of the American section, and among the other officers are Henry S. Dennison of Boston, Chas. P. Neill, ex-commissioner of the federal bureau of labor, John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers, and Prof. Chas. R. Henderson, secretary of the Chicago Unemployment commission. The president of the International Association on Unemployment is Leon Bourgeois, formerly president of the French council of ministers. The vice president is Richard Freund, head of the German Association of Employment Bureaus, and the secretaries are Louis Varlez, inventor of the "Ghent System," and Dr. Max Lazard of Paris. W. H. Beveridge of the British board of trade, the leading English authority, is also prominent in the movement abroad.

The association, organized in 1912, publishes a quarterly journal, and its purpose as stated in the by-laws is "To coordinate the efforts made to combat unemployment and its consequences, to organize studies, to give information to the public, and to take the initiative in shaping improved legislation and administration, and practical action in times of urgent need." The secretary, Dr. John B. Andrews, with headquarters at 131 East 23rd street, New York, announces that 19 American states and eight cities have already established free public employment bureaus while several official commissions are at work on the problem. Illinois has a state commission, in addition to the municipal commission in Chicago, and Governor Dunne has appointed the following state delegates to the national conference in New York: Hon. John Barton Payne, Chicago; Mr. John Fitzpatrick, Chicago; Mr. John H. Walker, Springfield; Mr. H. P. Simpson, Rock Island.

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PROFESSOR O'NEILL DEAD

MUSICIAN AND COMPOSER WHO TAUGHT MME. NORDICA BURIED TODAY

SHARON, Feb. 9.—Prof. John O'Neill, musician, composer and musical critic, prominent in Boston musical circles for many years, is dead at his South Pleasant street residence in this town. John O'Neill has made his home here since his retirement from active work about 15 years ago.

Prof. John O'Neill was born at Clonmel, Ire., March 16, 1839. He was educated at Dublin college of Music and in Italy. He was for many years a teacher at the New England Conservatory of Music at Boston. His most famous pupil is Mme. Lillian Nordica, who recently came to this town and spent the day singing for her old master. The funeral services will be held today.

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LOWELL WON TRACK MEET

Rindge Tech Proved Easy Opponent for Lowell School Boys —Score, 61 to 20

Rindge Tech of Cambridge proved an easy proposition for Lowell high when the two schools met on the Paige street annex track Saturday afternoon for their dual track meet. The local school boys won the meet by the score of 61 to 20.

Lowell high was superior to the visitors in all but one event, the high jump. Harvey of Rindge won the jump with a leap of five feet and three inches and this proved to be the only first place won by his team. Lowell men finished in the lead in every other event, and the affair was soon changed from a contest into an exhibition. In Heathcock, Delorme, Randall and Buchanan, Lowell has a quartet that will greatly score points in the coming meets but for whom Saturday's meet proved to be a "coming out" affair.

At 2.40 o'clock Starter McCann started the first heat of the 30 yard dash. Libbee of Lowell breasted the tape with Sullivan of Rindge, the other man to qualify. Time, 3 4-5 sec.

Both of Lowell High's representatives romped home with the first two places in the second heat. It was won by Cunningham with Cahill close at his heels. Time 3 4-5 sec.

In the final Sullivan, the only Rindge entry to qualify, was disqualified for making three false starts. Cunningham, Libbee and Cahill finished in the order named, giving Lowell all nine points in this event and the jump on the visitors. The time for the final of the 30 yard dash was 3 3-5 sec.

Score: Lowell 9, Rindge Tech. 0.

Although Captain Bowers was set back a yard for a false start he jumped into the lead on the first lap of the 1000 yard run. Poole and Coleman of Tech. were close behind him.

This race was one of the prettiest that has been run at the local track in years. Bowers opened up a lead of ten yards and kept it for three-quarters of the distance. At this point Poole closed in on the local runner and from that time until the last lap of the race it was a game test of endurance between the two. Bowers won out by a five yard margin with Poole second and Riley third.

Score: Lowell 14, Rindge Tech. 4.

The 300 yard dash was a procession of Lowell high sprinters. The visitors could not take the banked corners and were not in a class with the entries of the local team on the straightaway. Delorme, Cahill and Taylor raced across the finish mark in the lead. Taylor was disqualified for passing a Rindge man on the inside of the track. Lowell was awarded eight points and Rindge one. Delorme first, Cahill second, Gognon third. Score, Lowell 22, Rindge 5.

The running high jump was the next event on the program and Rindge was conceded this event at the outset.

Harvey of the visitors showed the best form of the jumpers with his teammate, Dupee, and Buchanan of Lowell staying with him until the bar reached 5 ft., 3 in. Dupee could not get over this height and the event narrowed down to a duel between Buchanan of Lowell and Harvey of Rindge. The Lowell boy failed at the next lift of the bar and the event was awarded to Harvey with Buchanan second and Dupee third. Lowell received three points and Rindge 6. Score: Lowell 25, Rindge 11. Height 5 ft., 3 in.

The Varnum and Highland grammar schools furnished the crowd with a close race in their relay contest. Each youngster hustled around the track as fast as his little legs would carry him to the great amusement of the crowd. The Varnum school won the race.

Heathcock and Capt. Bowers furnished a great race in the 600 yard run. Heathcock took the lead at the start with Bowers lagging in the rear. On the last two laps Bowers sprinted up to within a yard of Heathcock, but could not pass him on the home stretch. Downing finished third, giving Lowell nine more points. Score: Lowell 34, Rindge 11.

Three men qualified for the finals in the shot put. Duval, of Lowell, Coleman of Rindge and Cahill of Lowell. Although all of the visitors were husky individuals Coleman was the only one who could compete with smaller, but more skillful, local weight men. Duval won the event with Coleman second and Cahill third. Distance 36 feet 7 1-2 in.

Score: Lowell 40; Rindge 14.

The first heat of the 35-yd. hurdle brought Libbee and Taylor of Lowell against Dupee and Harvey of Rindge. Libbee won handily with Harvey two yards behind. Time 4 4-5 seconds.

Cunningham ran into his first hurdle and was to stop in the second heat. Cahill of Lowell and Gaskill qualified for the final heat.

All four men got off well in the final, but Libbee clipped all three timbers in great style and came home a winner with Harvey second and Cahill third in 4 4-5 sec.

Score: Lowell 46, Rindge 17.

Riley of Rindge starting out at a strong clip in the mile and before four laps had been covered he had opened up a gap of 50 yards between himself and Berry of Lowell, his nearest neighbor. Randall of Lowell kept close at the heels of his teammate.

After gradually closing up the distance between himself and Riley, Berry jumped into the lead on the seventh lap. Randall hung close to Berry.

With three laps to go, Randall opened up a burst of speed that carried him 20 yards out in front of the field and finished his race an easy winner in 5 m., 15 4-5 sec. Hyson took second place and Berry third.

Score: Lowell, 52; Rindge, 29.

The relay race, as usual, closed the meet. It was a foregone conclusion, from the showing that the teams had made thus far, that, barring accidents, the local quartet of sprinters would walk away from their opponents. Such proved to be the case.

Lowell won the relay race by a quarter of a lap with Delorme, Taylor, Heathcock and Captain Bowers running in that order. Final score: Lowell 61; Rindge 20.

EXCUSE ME

BASEBALL MEN

Gather in N.Y. for Schedule Meetings and to Discuss Outlaws

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Baseball owners and officials from near and far are gathered here today and others are on the way. The announced purpose of their visit is to attend the schedule meetings of the International league, the National and the American leagues. The real purpose, however, is the menace of the Federal league, which has loomed large on the baseball horizon this winter.

The International was the first to meet in regular session. It held its meeting and discussed the schedule for the coming season. Tomorrow the National league will meet for the same purpose and on Wednesday the American will adopt its 1914 playing dates.

Through it ways and means to fight the Federals will be formed so that on Thursday when a joint session is to be held, plans will be formulated for an aggressive campaign against the so-called outlaws.

President Chivington and some of the American association club owners are expected to take part in Thursday's conference.

Just what line of action is likely to be decided on is not yet clear. Several plans have been suggested but the scheme proposed some time ago for putting the International and American association teams in the cities where the Federals propose to locate clubs seems to be the most favorably considered. Some of the owners, among them August Herrman of Cincinnati, are inclined to think that the Federal menace is a bubble; that it will burst before long anyway so far as this season is concerned.

BREAKS WORLD'S RECORD

AVIATOR INGOLD IN AIR 16 HOURS AND 20 MINUTES, AND COVERED 1050 MILES

MUNICH, Germany, Feb. 9.—The aviator Ingold yesterday broke the world's record for an endurance flight. He remained in the air for 16 hours and 20 minutes, and covered a distance estimated at 1050 miles without landing. Ingold started at Mulhauser, Alsace, and flew far to the north. He then proceeded southward to Munich, landing in a suburb.

The previous record of 14 hours and 7 minutes was made by Brunelanger at Johannisthal Feb. 3.

TEMPERANCE MEETING

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Lowell has invited the unions of Pepperell, Ayer, Westford and Dracut to meet with them in the rooms of the Y. W. C. A. on John street on Thursday, Feb. 12, for a temperance inspiration meeting.

During the past two months several meetings of this kind have been held under the auspices of the Middlesex County W. C. T. U., and much temperance sentiment has been created thereby.

The speakers Thursday are to be the vice president-at-large of the Massachusetts W. C. T. U., Mrs. Ella A. Gleason of Winchester, and Mrs. Augusta R. Brigham of Malden, secretary of Middlesex County W. C. T. U., both of whom are well known in Lowell.

At a recent meeting of this kind in Worcester twenty women came forward and joined the local union, and Mrs. Gleason pinned the white ribbon bow, which is the badge of the organization, upon each one, and it is hoped that there will be as many new members in Lowell.

Mrs. Lily A. Clark, president of Lowell W. C. T. U., will preside, and at the close of the meeting light refreshments will be served by Lowell and Dracut ladies. Everybody is invited to be present.

ABBOTT COUPLE REGISTER TO VOTE ON GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

MR. and MRS. D. E. R. ABBOTT in REGISTRATION BOOTH

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—The registration of the women voters here under the new suffrage law proceeded actively, and many interesting episodes occurred. At one registration booth appeared Mr. and Mrs. D. E. R. Abbott of 842 Crescent place, Chicago, whose golden wedding anniversary fell on registration day. So arm in arm they walked to the polls and celebrated their anniversary by qualifying together to vote for the first time in their lives. Mr. Abbott is seventy-seven and his wife seventy-one years old.

DELEGATION TO MAYOR

TO CONGRATULATE HIM ON HIS ATTITUDE ON ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL—SURVEY OF ESTIMATES

Sheriff E. W. Clark and Mr. George L. Huntoon were callers at Mayor Murphy's office Saturday and they had words of cheer for the mayor and other members of the municipal council. They told the mayor that they represented a body of men and were appointed a committee of two to extend congratulations to the present government for its method of dealing with public questions. Special mention was made of the request of St. John's hospital for a donation of $3500 from the city. The mayor had stated that he doubted the legality of the matter.

First Sewer Assessments

The first batch of sewer assessments will go before the municipal council at its meeting on tomorrow. The council will meet today for the purpose of considering estimates and it is barely possible that the sewer assessments may be taken up at that time. The assessments amount to $10,333.22, and represent 22 different sewers in as many streets.

Survey of Estimates

The municipal council went into executive session Saturday for the purpose of a preliminary survey of estimates. "I called this conference," said the mayor, "for the purpose of having each member of the council go over his estimate. I think it is best that we should go over the estimates in private conference before meeting to dispose of them in public meeting."

Bids For Bulbs

Bids on plants and bulbs for the park department and Lucy Larcom park were opened in Purchasing Agent Foy's office Saturday and John S. Haynes was awarded the contract in both instances. The bids were as follows: Lucy Larcom park—J. S. Haynes, $16.72. Highlands conservatories, $15.96; Whittet & Co., $16.24. Park department—John S. Haynes, $144.09; Highlands conservatories, $153.10; Whittet & Co., $152.21.

The visit of members of the state board of health to this city for the purpose of looking over sites for a contagious hospital has been postponed until next Saturday.

DRIVEN OUT BY FIRE

Occupants of Apartment in Boston Block Forced to Flee Into Street—$1500 Damage

BOSTON, Feb. 9—Occupants of several apartments in the upper stories of the four-story brick building at 1295-1297 Washington street were forced to flee into the street when fire broke out in the basement at 8 o'clock last night.

Smoke from a lively basement fire filled all the upper stories and for a time it was feared that all would not get out alive. Policemen and firemen helped several women and children to reach the street.

The fire was in the establishments of the Standard Shoe company and the M. M. Litchfield company. Damage of about $1500 was caused.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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MILL DIVIDENDS

Merrimack Manufacturing Company Declared Dividend

The Merrimack Manufacturing Co. of Lowell declared a regular semi-annual dividend of 2 1-2 per cent. on preferred stock, payable March 2 to stock of record Jan. 30.

The Bates Manufacturing company of Lewiston, Me. has declared a 6 per cent. regular semi-annual dividend, payable Feb. 2 to stock of record Jan. 22.

A quarterly dividend of $2 per share, payable Feb. 5 to stock-holders of record, has been declared by the Sagamore Manufacturing Co. of Fall River.

The Seaconnett mills of Fall River declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent., payable Feb. 1.

The Pepperell Manufacturing Co. of Biddeford, Me. declared a regular semi-annual dividend of $6 per share, payable Feb. 2, to stock of record January 23.

Nonquitt Spinning Co. of New Bedford have declared a 1 1-2 per cent. dividend, payable Feb. 3, to stock of record Jan. 27.

The Renfrew Manufacturing Co. of Adams declared the regular quarterly dividends of 1 3-4 on the preferred, and 1 1-2 on the common. The preferred dividend is payable April 1 to stock of record Jan. 29, and the common dividend Feb. 2 to stock of record Jan. 23.

The Luther Manufacturing company of Fall River has declared a 1 1-2 per cent. quarterly dividend of 1 1-2 per cent., payable Feb. 1.

WOODIES IS OUT

Has Resigned as Chief Clerk in the Saco-Lowell Shops

Fred Woodies of Gates street, who for some time has held the position of head clerk in the office of the Saco-Lowell machine company, severed his connection with the latter concern Saturday.

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ELKS BURY ARCADIA DEAD

Eighteen Unidentified Victims of Lodging House Fire, Rest in Common Grave

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—In the burial of the 18 unknown dead of the Hotel Arcadia fire yesterday by the Boston Lodge of Elks the spirit of the brotherhood of man was so strikingly portrayed that churchgoers halted in their tracks, heads were bared in the nondescript throngs that lined the streets, and later, at the side of the massive 19 feet by 20 grave in Mt. Hope cemetery tears came to the eyes of many in the assemblage of 3000 when Mayor Curley spoke feelingly of the fate of the unfortunates.

No tragedy in the history of Boston has produced so unusual a spectacle, that of a procession of 18 hearses filing through the city streets. Such a cortege, conveyed by hacks and automobiles containing members of the Elks and others who came to show their reverence for the unknown dead, drew the marked attention of the street crowds from the time of departure at the morgue of the Boston City hospital until the cemetery in West Roxbury was reached.

Originally there had been plans for the interment of 19 bodies, but several days ago one was positively identified as that of John Leahey of South Boston and was taken in charge by relatives.

Another identification placed a victim in the known list as William Sullivan. He was buried with the others after his relatives had expressed a wish that it should be that way.

Before the start was made for the cemetery the Rev. J. J. O'Connor, S. J., of the Immaculate Conception church, who is also chaplain of the City hospital, held a brief prayer service in the morgue chapel over the body that had been identified as that of William Sullivan.

The small edifice was crowded with the members of the committee appointed by the Elks, and with the committee of the city's undertakers who had lent their aid in the preparation for the burial. Edward Mahoney, organist for the Boston Lodge of Elks, supplied the music from the chapel's small organ.

The unusual procession proceeded along Washington street to the West Roxbury district. Among the vehicles which followed the hearses were two carriages containing women and men relatives of Arthur Judd, a Boston man who has been missing since the Arcadia fire. One of these, a brother, told a reporter that although no identification had been made, it was his belief that his brother was among those lost in the burning of the Arcadia.

Police details were personally attended to by Captain Driscoll at the hospital end, and by Supt. Pierce at the cemetery end, although both of these officials were scheduled for their weekly "day of rest."

Old and young, the prosperous and the manifestly poor were crowded around the great grave into which the remains of the unfortunate 18 were placed.

Each casket was enclosed in a pine box, which was designated by a nickel plate bearing the morgue number. As each number was called off, the box was lowered into the grave.

The caskets were placed in two tiers, the lower tier containing ten and the upper eight.

After all the bodies had been deposited in their last resting place, Mayor Curley, himself a member of the Boston Lodge of Elks, with bared head delivered the final tribute to the fire victims. After the mayor had finished, George Carroll, chaplain of the Boston Elks, gave the Elks' committal prayer.

Next came the soft strains of "taps" by Edward Carr, a member of the Boston lodge.

Then when 18 beautiful floral sprays and a massive wreath had been cast upon the upper tier of boxes, Mayor Curley grasped a shovelful of earth, cast the contents on the remains, and said:

"May their souls rest in eternal peace!"

A chorused "Amen" was the response of the assemblage.

A fitting memorial of stone will be placed over the grave by the Boston Elks. For this purpose the sum of $500 was realized at a recent meeting. The lot in which the bodies were buried was purchased by the Elks to save the unfortunates from being placed in Potter's field.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

OPERA HOUSE

James O'Neill, the eminent romantic actor who was last seen in Lowell in support of Viola Allen in "The White Sister," will be seen in his famous version of Dumas' masterpiece, "The Count of Monte Christo," at the Opera House today and tomorrow. Endorsed by three generations of continued popularity, this famous actor and fascinating play are too well known and admired to require extended comment. Dumas' powerful story illustrates with sweeping force the eternal triumph of right, and its development is marked by the sustained charm of genius. Mr. O'Neill has caught the spirit that animates the hero of the tale. As Edmonde Dantes he has the careless grace, the droll humor and brusque heartiness characteristic of the honest sailor lad. As the count, his bearing assumes the serious finality and firmness befitting the man with but a single and sacred aim in life, and through all the phases of the character there runs that delicate vein which exalts Mr. O'Neill's effort to the dignity of a superbly harmonized artistic impersonation. This wonderful five reel feature was produced by the Famous Players Film company and has a record run of over six months at the Herald Square theatre, New York city. In addition to the above feature will be seen the three-reel Warner masterpiece, "The Trail of the Law." This western melodrama is of the distinctive type that so picturesquely portrays the rugged life of the rancher as it was in reality on the frontier back in the early "fifties." The scenes are most alluring, this picture having been produced right in the heart of the barren mountain ranges that lie in northern New Mexico. The plot is woven about a jilted outlaw who, when spurned in love, attempts to carry out an intricate plot in seeking revenge. One's eyes are ever on the screen as the story unfolds, thrill follows thrill with rapid fire precision throughout the three parts, making this photo-play a red-blooded, gripping production that will hold your attention.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

A likeable musical comedy, with all of the adjuncts of the kind which is now the rage in New York and the larger cities of the country, will be in first place at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week. Murray Harris, a competent singing comedian, and Miss Ruby Caldwell will have the leading parts in the little affair, and six beautiful singing and dancing maids will comprise the company supporting the two stars. The act is based on the love affairs of a young society man, who suddenly finds himself confronted with enough of beauty and smartness to suffice for several ordinary men. Instantly the lovelorn one is plunged into uncertainty as to his course. A seventh maid, however, comes along and to her he gives his heart and sings sweetest love nothings. The act is full of scenic and costume effects and it will prove a novelty.

Miss Mabel Page, a young woman who earned her spurs in Broadway productions for the Frohmans and for Belasco, will be seen in Una Clayton's eminently satisfactory comedy entitled "The Understudy." Miss Clayton has written something which teems with real life and the smiles and tears which will be accorded the act are manifestations of the joy one will get at looking at a play so palpably true and human. The story of the piece concerns "Betsy Brown," from a small Maine town, who imagines she has learned the art of acting through a correspondence school. Convinced that her art is of such quality that the keenest of managers of the metropolis will instantly engage her, she goes to New York, and is finally given a chance with the "In the Toils of the Tempter" company. Naturally enough she doesn't make good, at least in her acting, although her sweet, frank character endear her to her associates and the final curtain shows her about to succeed in another line of endeavor. Miss Page, who plays the leading character, is exceptionally well equipped to play the rather difficult part. For a number of seasons she was a member of the supporting companies of William Gillette, W. H. Crane and Viola Allen.

When two comedians can be located who can sing then there is pretty sure of being a mighty attractive vaudeville team. This is the case with Freeman and Dunham, who are much sought after on all the "big time" circuits, and who are going to please Lowell audiences this week. They work either in or out of character make-up and this speaks volumes for the songs and funnyisms which they deliver.

Hilda Mason and George Murray give some highly polished vaudeville. Miss Mason is a very attractive young woman, who sings and dances well and who is rated as one of the best dressed women in vaudeville, while Mr. Murray has a fond of whimsicalities to give and which are guaranteed to hold the true funny ring to them.

Artists, varying in ability, have appeared from time to time on the stage, but painters in oils have seldom, if ever, invaded the precincts of the variety theatre. However, Vandinhoff and Louie, who will appear on the bill paint only in oils and they paint beautiful flowers and landscapes. Their work is very highly commended, not only for its novelty but because of its thoroughness and great artistry.

Women gymnasts of great reputation are the Five Idanias, who were formerly special features with the Barnum & Bailey circus, and whose dare-devil work will give audiences plenty of thrills. The two Alfredos have a brand new novelty to offer. As usual, the Pathe Weekly pictures will close the bill. Good seats for all performances during the week may be secured in advance at the box office. Phone 28.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Four clever Hawaiian dancers captained by the only and original Toots Paka will hold the first position on an excellent bill arranged for the first three days this week at the Merrimack Square theatre. It hardly seems possible that a theatre charging the low prices of admission found here, could afford to play such an expensive person as this famous dancer, but such is the case and not only have she and her company been booked, but three other acts and an excellent series will also also be found. "Toots" will be seen in her famous Tango nature dance and also several others. She is ably assisted by the four other members of her company and the whole is said to be extraordinary in the extreme. Frivoli, the shadowgraphist, also on the bill has something new in his line, while "Roundy" Roane, the popular illustrated song singer will sing two new catchy songs.

THE OWL THEATRE

The new mirror screen which was recently installed at the Owl theatre is making people talk; the clearness of the pictures with this improvement cannot be described, it remains to be seen. Miss Florence Turner, the Vitagraph favorite during many years, is being starred in a three-act picture of mystery and intrigue. "The Harper Mystery" is the product of the Turner Films, Ltd., and it is an exceptionally well acted detective story, in which a woman takes the leading part. How she catches one of the cleverest criminals and the way she clears up the mystery of an old lady who is being held by some crooks who are trying to get her fortune are told in a stirring manner. She cleverly outwits the villains and the praise of the chief of police for her courage is a great satisfaction to her. Five other good pictures are to be shown, all Mutual "movies," and every one is a winner. This service will be regularly shown at the Owl, and it promises to be all that it has been advertised. The Mutual Girl made her debut last Friday and her second adventure will be shown on the coming Friday and Saturday.

THEATRE VOYONS

It would be difficult to imagine a more laughable photo-play than Wild Beasts at Large or When the Menagerie Broke Loose, a two-part vitagraph comedy that will be shown at the Voyons for the first part of the week. The animals certainly have a great time while they are at liberty. The lions visit a butcher shop, the monkeys make a call on some ladies in a fruit store, a pair of leopards visit a barber shop and a couple of man eating tigers call on a man and his wife at home. Come and see the fun when a dozen or more snakes enter a saloon and the patrons think they are seeing things. Be sure and bring the children as these reels are a continual laugh from start to finish.

The C. B. Coburn Co., through the medium of its permanent demonstrator, is having a demonstration of Gold Medal gelatine at the store in Market street, serving to the ladies and those interested, dishes of delectable fruit jelly with maraschino cherries and bananas. The splendid quality of Gold Medal gelatine is deliciously exemplified in the fruit jelly Mrs. Smith is serving.

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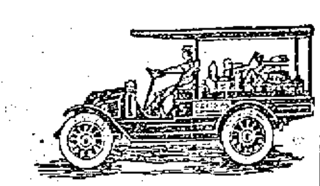

TRAINS COLLIDE

Four Passengers Injured When Train Split the Switch at Salem

SALEM, Feb. 9.—Four passengers were injured today when a train on the Marblehead branch of the Boston & Maine railroad struck an open switch and crashed into a freight car here today.

William H. Payne of Marblehead was taken to a hospital to be treated for bad cuts about the head. The other injured persons, William Murray and F. A. Balcomb of this city and John T. Collins of Danvers were taken to their homes.

The freight car was demolished but no part of the passenger train left the rails.

BANK IS CLOSED

Directors Allege That President Lost $800,000 in Speculation

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 9.—Alleging that almost $800,000 has been lost through speculations of C. H. Raine, president of the Mercantile National bank, ten directors of that institution last night ordered that the bank should not open its doors for business today. The bank was considered one of the strongest here.

In a petition for a receiver filed in chancery court today the directors allege that with liabilities of approximately $2,196,831 but $1,400,000 can be found. They charge that Raine secured the money "by a system of handling drafts, property and exchange in such a manner as to deceive the directors and conceal his manipulations."

Action was decided on at a meeting of directors and creditors yesterday after a report had been made to them by a New York correspondent who had audited the Mercantile's books when it was found that loans made to the local banks were not proportionate with amounts usually secured at this season. At the meeting, it is said, Raine asserted that none of the other officials of the bank knew of the discrepancies and turned over his personal estate, which he claimed to be worth approximately $350,000. The mercantile bank is capitalized at $200,000. Its last published statement showed assets of about two and a half million dollars.

The alleged discrepancy was discovered by a representative of a New York correspondent of the bank, who was sent to Memphis last week to audit the books of the Mercantile bank, when loans requested were found to be out of proportion to the amounts usually asked for at this season of the year. His report, told directors yesterday, which brought the situation to a climax, was the first intimation that the bank was not in a prosperous condition, according to the directors.

It is stated that President Raine, who attended yesterday's meeting, absolved all of the officers and directors of the bank of implication in the alleged shortage and tendered his personal estate, which he valued at $350,000, to the bank. So far he has made no formal statement.

The dance committees in charge of the coming dance of the Keedon Klub which will take place in Associate hall, next Thursday, Lincoln's birthday, met last evening and perfected plans. A record breaking crowd is anticipated.

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One of those most honored in connection with the work of raising the large fund for St. Elizabeth's hospital, Boston, was Rev. William H. Grant of South Boston, formerly connected with St. Peter's church, this city. Throughout the campaign Fr. Grant was intimately connected with the leaders who had the collection in hand, and that his efforts were appreciated was amply demonstrated at the City Club in Boston last week when at the banquet signalizing the completion of the work, he was introduced to speak. He received a tremendous ovation and his eloquence charmed the large gathering. While stationed at St. Peter's, this city, Fr. Grant was noted for the eloquence of his sermons, and his touching eulogy on the death of Pope Leo is still remembered for its dignified impressiveness. Rev. Fr. Grant is a cousin of Rt. Rev. Philip Garrigan, D. D., Bishop of Sioux City, Ia.

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JACK BINNS TO MARRY

WIRELESS OPERATOR, HERO OF THE STEAMER REPUBLIC, TO MARRY MISS ALICE MacNIFF

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Jack Binns, wireless operator hero of the lost steamer Republic, is to be married in June.

Announcement of the fact was made today. His fiance is Miss Alice A. MacNiff of Brooklyn, whom he met when he was ticking dots and dashes on the Adriatic.

Jack has quit the sea and is now a ship news reporter here.

BASKETBALL GAME

Another big basketball game will be played at the Y. M. C. I. hall, Tuesday night, when the Y. M. C. I. first team meets the strong Military Athletic association team of Lawrence. The Lawrence aggregation is said to be one of the strongest in the state. A week ago, when the Belvidere team went to Lawrence, the game ended in the second period, 16 to 14 in favor of the Lawrence team, a dispute having taken place in which it is said the spectators took part. However, all difficulties have been patched up, and the two teams have arranged to play two more games, the first of which will be played in the Y. M. C. I. hall, tomorrow night.

C. F. Keyes will hold his next furniture sale Thursday, February 12th. See this paper later for list of goods.

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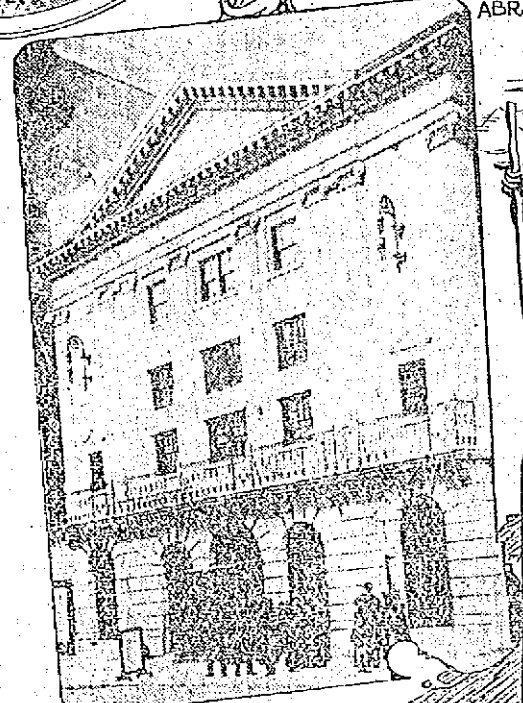

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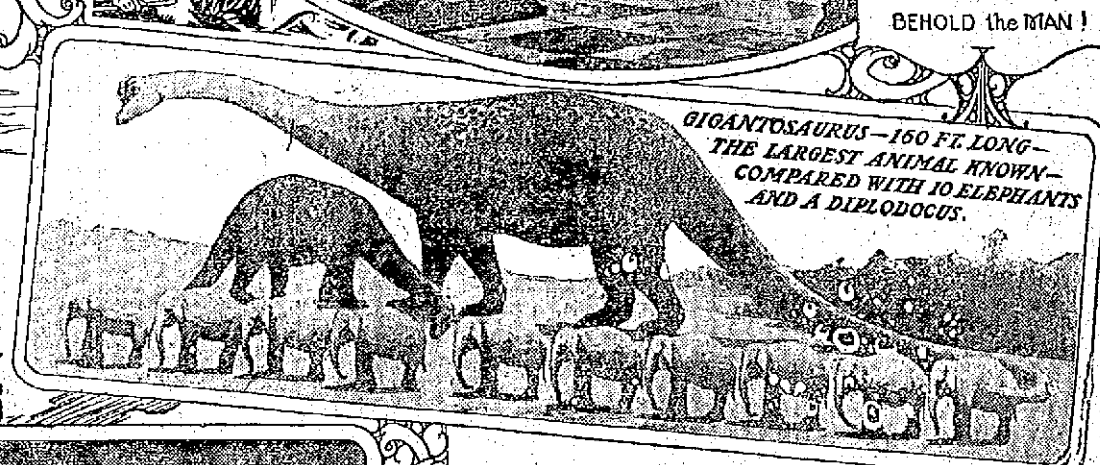

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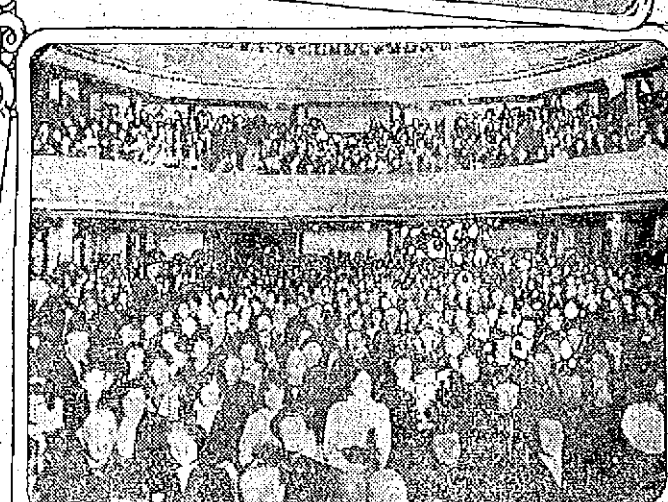

AUDIENCE LOOKING AT "CREATION"

WHOEVER will may now, without money and without price, see and hear the panorama and the story of man's life on earth. He may learn through the medium of his eyes and his ears how "through all the ages one increasing purpose runs."

The moving picture film, beginning with the far-off days when chaos lay on the waters, is depicting for us how God called the earth into being from the void and how He has upheld it and sustained it and carried it onward and upward toward its divinely appointed goal. All this is done while machinery, reproducing synchronously the tones of the human voice, helps in entertaining, enlightening and instructing the auditor.

All this is being accomplished and will be accomplished by the marvelous photo-drama of "Creation," produced by the International Bible Students Association. This body of earnest and active supporters and disseminators of God's Word is planning to place in many large cities the photo-drama, which tells in interesting, easily understandable picture and word the story of the earth's creation, progress and development.

First Production in New York.

A start was made in New York City, where a large theater building was opened to the public, free of charge. Men, women and children are thronging to hear and see the story of their ancestors and themselves. Before them pass the pictures which tell how the earth began and how it has struggled and is struggling upward to the light. They sit entranced, for, as the drama of dramas unfolds, the voice of the hidden, mechanical lecturer, speaking in tones of eloquence and might, explains clearly each picture. It requires an effort of the mind to believe that no actual, unseen man is speaking, for the illusion is perfect. In absorbing interest the pictures and lectures surpass the "wild west" dramas and the crude comedies which hold the moving picture stage so often.

And the drama of "Creation" is offered free to the public, to stimulate interest in the story of man's redemption by his Saviour's grace. The pictures begin with the creation and continue down to the present day, showing creation scenes and all important subsequent political, social, financial and religious events.

Famous Men on the Canvas.

Here one may see, moving on the canvas with every semblance of reality, the outstanding figures with whom reading and reflection have made us familiar. Philosophers, statesmen, warriors, princes and potentates, scholars and artists, pass in fascinating succession across the screen, acting the parts which they played when they were on the earthly stage in the flesh. We see the Garden of Eden as an ingenious and inventive imagination figures it for us. We see the stately cities of antiquity and their modern successors. We sweep over the world with ever increasing interest, the film and the phonographic record taking us back to the times of our remotest ancestors, carrying us on, ever onward as the scroll of history unrolls. And when we rise from our seats, satisfied with the intellectual banquet which has been spread before us, we feel and know that history has been made for us a living reality instead of the dried bones of historical chronicle.

Most interesting of all perhaps is the depiction and description of Biblical scenes. We tremble with Isaac in fear as we behold his father Abraham about to sacrifice him, an offering to the Most High; we stand with Moses at the court of Pharaoh and see the rod changed into the serpent; we look with the prophet's longing eyes at the Promised Land, and we enter therein with Joshua and his warriors.

So through the eras of Scripture we pass until we come to the days of the Saviour, when He walked in meek humility on earth and worked the miracles which attested His power. We see Him lonely in Gethsemane and enter with Him triumphantly into Jerusalem. We suffer with Him on Golgotha's hill and stand vigil with His mother at the tomb. It is all most fascinating, thrilling and satisfying to the religious sense, for it is in part a realization of our desires to stand where He stood and to behold Him as He was on earth.

Whoever will may see "Creation" without the payment of money. The necessary expenses are defrayed by the International Bible Students Association in an effort to interest mankind in the story of its stay on earth and its ultimate destination. Religion and religious effort are the foundation of the representations. It is not cold formalism and theology, but the living, breathing religion which reaches, entrances and uplifts the soul. "The devil need not have all the good tunes," said Wesley, and he took some of the tunes and set the words of hymns to them." So the International Bible Students Association has taken the moving picture film and the phonograph record and has enlisted them in the service of righteousness.

"A church that looks like a theater." Such is the definition of the Temple in New York, on West Sixty-third street near Broadway, given by a spectator. The new Temple was formally opened when the moving picture drama of "Creation" was presented for the first time.

The building is a magnificent structure, tastefully decorated, and has a seating capacity of 1,600. It is constructed like an ordinary theater, with a large number of orchestra seats, two balconies and boxes on each side. On the stage is the regular moving picture screen, in front of which is a small table for the lecturers.

Takes Eight Hours to Exhibit.

The production of "Creation," which takes eight hours to exhibit, is run in sections and changed each day that every one may see it in its entirety.

The pictures show the state of the Universe in its nebulous form gradually evolving in readiness for the creation of life. Then follows the Bible history, Old and New Testaments, after which the progress of mankind is traced through the middle ages down to the present time.

As the films tell the story of the beginning of things the uplift of religion comes from the swiftly revolving reels of celluloid.

The International Bible Students Association uses the screen and the high power light to tell the stories of the Old Testament and the New. The pictures are accompanied by voices, evolved from a phonograph attachment keeping exact time with the action—thus affording a lecture and a service of song.

Nothing short of magic would such a performance have seemed in days of old. Nebuchadnézzar reading his doom on the walls in letters of fire knew no greater miracle than this which has been wrought by the Divine intelligence working on the receptive brain of man.

Religion has adapted itself in past ages to the manners and customs of a [illegible] availing itself of the habits of a modern race as modified by many inventions. It has been said that much study is a weariness to the flesh and of the making of many books there is no end.

Films to Teach Religion.

The sight of the moving picture is something that carries vivid impressions to the mind, and of this the officers of the International Bible Students Association have availed themselves. Conventions of the organization, held both here and abroad last year, adopted a resolution authorizing the use of the films for the teaching of religious truths. In compliance with this action the photo-drama of "Creation" was prepared. A building in New York that had been intended for a theater but never used for that purpose was acquired.

Processes of nature are shown in the public schools these days by means of the educational reels. The use of the moving picture, accustomed as are the people to the flickering portrayal of the doings of border outlaws, may seem unconventional to many persons when bent to the purpose of stimulating religion. But why may not the Lord employ the works of man, His creation, to further His purposes?

Several of the large moving picture concerns, indeed, have prepared impressive photo-dramas dealing with the life and works of the great Teacher of men, who called as His disciples the lowly fishermen by the Sea of Galilee.

The moving picture has long been confined to the theater, and now comes the first opportunity to use it as a part of the worship of a non-sectarian temple.

Scenes Staged in the Holy Land.

The preparation of the films used in the exhibitions has involved a considerable expense and activities conducted in all parts of the world. The cameras have been carried into the Holy Land, and there on the Mount of Olives and in Jerusalem have been found the backgrounds for re-enacted tragedies. Nature has not changed the face of the land of Palestine much for so many centuries, and the houses and the customs and dress are much as they were before the Christian era. Men of many nations have participated in the acts of the great photo-drama, showing to those of this present day how the people of old lived, acted and died, as they played their parts in the great scenes of the ages. All the accessories for the production of the photo-drama of "Creation" have been carefully arranged.

We have Noah building the ark of gopher wood. Here are actual beams. The godly patriarch supervises the construction. His sons aid him. The unbelievers come to jeer. All is carried on with all the realism which one would see in shipbuilding of this age. Then approaches the time for the animals to enter two by two, and they do, as though they were going into the great vessel as they did in days of old. The best zoological collections have been brought into requisition for the spectacle. Then the rains descend and the floods come and the Great Deluge sweeps the earth and destroys the lives of animals and of men who are not within the protecting walls of the floating ark.

The reels change and we are in the land of Egypt, where the children of Israel worked in bondage under the scourges of the Pharaohs. A convincing representation it is when the Hebrew slaves are grinding at the mill and the plagues fall upon the stricken land.

Among the rocks, Saul, the King, is shown holding converse with the Witch of Endor. Again David attunes his harp to the songs of Israel.

Obscure Bible Readings Explained.

Through the King James version of the Scriptures, and indeed in more modern renderings, there are phrases which are obscure to the average reader. The Sunday school teacher and the minister may laboriously instruct, but the actual moving picture of the things or incidents concerned is found of the greatest value.

It was said by Christ that it was easier for a camel to enter the Needle's Eye than for a rich man to enter the Kingdom of Heaven. Many who have applied the text all too literally have rested in the belief that their too wealthy neighbors could no more attain everlasting bliss than the tall humped camel could force his way into the eye of the cambric needle in mother's sewing basket.

The moving picture shows the camel actually at one of the small doors in the gate of the walls of Jerusalem, the Needle's Eye. It is possible for the camel by getting down on all fours to get through, but in order to succeed he must first be divested of all his burden. The camel driver removes everything, and after he has managed to get the ship of the desert safely through he drags the packs and cloths and saddles after him and reloads the beast.

It is difficult for the creature to enter the Needle's Eye, but he does, and the teaching of the Master was that frequently men of great wealth are unduly absorbed in the affairs of this world. The moving picture of the struggling animal and his final negotiation of the difficult point of entry is in itself a demonstration of the saying which philosophers and ministers have often discussed.

The Ordeals of the Martyrs.

Some of the most graphic representations of the films have to do with the early struggles of the Christian Church. Many stereopticon slides are also introduced, bearing reproductions of famous paintings. One of these includes Gerome's grewsome picture, "After the Exhibition," depicting the lions being driven from the sands of the arena after an act of fiendish cruelty.

The International Bible Students Association operates under a British charter and has offices at Lancaster Gate W., London. Its American headquarters are at No. 17 Hicks street, Brooklyn. The association is supported by voluntary contributions. It has a large staff of lecturers, and its activities extend to all the principal cities of the United States and Europe. The object of the association is, through various means, to encourage Bible study, and in the moving picture exhibitions it hopes to be especially helpful in this regard.

Careful investigation made by public librarians who have given picture shows in connection with their work has shown that attendance at moving picture exhibitions stimulates the demand for literature.

Experiments with the moving pictures reveal the interdependence between the films and study of secular affairs. It is the belief of the promoters of this novel enterprise that the witnessing of representations of Biblical events will stimulate interest in the Bible or books among those who have hitherto been indifferent to religious matters.

When All Was Formless Void.

The photo-drama of creation begins with the earth being without form and void, the ages of the nebulae and then to the formation of the globe and the waters on which rested the darkness. The creation of the animals, the coming of man, the story of the Garden of Eden follow, and then comes the great procession of events, which brings man to the year of grace 1914.

Here is the resolution adopted by the convention from which the idea of the Temple was evolved:

Resolved, That the unprecedented success of the American newspapers in molding public opinion by the aid of cartoons and illustrations in their news and magazine sections has fully demonstrated their worth and, we believe, fully justifies us as progressive preachers and Bible class teachers in giving our unqualified indorsement of moving pictures and stereopticon slides as an effective and desirable method for evangelists and teachers.

It is further resolved, That, in order to conserve all our interests and make a general harmonious work, all motion pictures and stereopticon slides passed by us shall be catalogued under one special title of "The Photo-Drama of Creation" and receive as wide publicity throughout the world as possible.

Moving Pictures For Education.

One of the teachers of Biblical truths identified with this movement says that the value of moving pictures as a means of educating the people is most important.

"There is no question," he observes, "as to the popularity of moving picture houses. The leading teachers in every line are agreed that within a few years moving pictures and stereopticon slides will be used in every country in order to bring all people into a general knowledge of the truths of education. Reports say that a movement is now on foot on the part of educators in many cities to secure moving picture houses during the forenoons to show pictures on certain topics to high school classes. In order to make this work successful manufacturers are producing films under the direction of educators which in an hour's time can convey to the student's mind those same lessons which hitherto have necessitated many long hours of arduous study.

"While I was in Singapore and other oriental cities the managers of public halls called attention to the fact that the tents and halls used for moving picture exhibitions were the only places where the rich and the poor people of all castes gather at the same time to witness the same performance. The films used in China, Japan, Africa and India were almost entirely of French manufacture, and the reading matter accompanying the pictures was in French. Scarcely any one in those countries could read the descriptive matter, yet all were receiving similar impressions and were being educated along certain lines by the pictures. This emphasizes the fact that pictures talk and that pictures constitute the only available universal language of the day."

Machine Talks as Reels Are Unrolled.

A lecture is given with each exhibition by a talking machine which has been accurately geared to accompany the representation on the screen. The apparatus sings and talks with remarkable precision, and so well are the tones and the films synchronized that many who witness the exhibitions believe the discourse is being delivered by some famous orator of rare ability.

The International Bible Students Association is supported through voluntary contributions, and it is announced that not only will there be no admission fee charged, but that positively no collection will be taken after the exhibition has begun. The projectors of this new method of reaching every man with religion are confident that it will prove of the greatest efficiency in spreading the great truths of religion.

The International Bible Students Association holds its meetings in public auditoriums, opera houses, etc., where persons of all nationalities and creeds, as well as skeptics, may assemble without prejudice. Nearly every city in America as well as in other countries has its International Bible Students class. Annually conventions are held in America and Europe, where matters of interest to religious workers are discussed and expounded by leaders of religious thought.

The entire work of the International Bible Students Association is for the purpose of encouraging individual Bible study, and the fact that all meetings are free and no collections taken affords sufficient evidence to prove that the work is not actuated by mercenary motives.

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A PATRIOTIC MOVE

The action of the house in eliminating an amendment to the immigration bill now before congress, which would have excluded Mongolians, Negroes and Malays not protected by treaty or passport agreement, from entering this country, has saved the administration much confusion and saved the country the solution of a muddle that would have undoubtedly resulted in serious misunderstandings with foreign nations. The amendment was offered by representatives from the Pacific coast and was aimed especially at the exclusion of the Japanese, for the fires kindled over a year ago are still smouldering. It does not need a restriction of this nature to kindle strong animosity against things American in the minds of the subjects of the Mikado, for anti-American feeling is quite common in Japan; it has been shown conclusively recently in the sympathy which has been more or less officially expressed there for the Mexican dictator, Huerta.

The amendment was phrased in such a way as to sound fairly reasonable, but it had its sting nevertheless. So plausible did it seem that it once passed the house. Some of the astute leaders, however, immediately foresaw that the consequences might be serious, and they brought pressure to bear on influential legislators, with the result that the vote of acceptance was rescinded next day by the emphatic vote of 203 to 54. The former vote which allowed the amendment to pass was 110 to 90. This demonstrates that the seriousness of the question became speedily apparent. Republican Leader Mann had a great share in the revision of the action of the house, for at a critical time he rose and made a fine speech, putting patriotism above party, and prevailing on his colleagues to take back an amendment that could only result in injury to the relations of this country with other nations. "I have been long enough in this house," said Mr. Mann, "to know when to place country above party. . . . I am not prepared to invite war with Japan or any other country."

It is well indeed that in matters affecting our foreign relations, party considerations should be secondary to those of a patriotism wide enough to include all parties. In dealing with international affairs, America has been placed in many delicate positions of late, and in the solution of the problems that confront him, the president should get the cordial support of the republican senators and congressmen as well as of the democrats. Foreign affairs are not strictly speaking party affairs as the president shows by his desire to have the republicans of the senate committee on foreign relations present at all important deliberations.

It would also be well did the rest of the country frown on the attempts of California to make laws of national discrimination which would plunge the government into difficulties and which might plunge the country into war. The Californian-Japanese problem is, of course, local, and may be understood fully by those in that section, but any exclusion clause seems too grave to be considered a local matter merely. To New England people the Californian attitude strongly suggests undue prejudice, and our people will be glad that the amendment to exclude Asiatics failed—thanks in great measure to the timely expressed patriotism of Republican Leader Mann.

SYLVIA AND CHRISTABEL

Sylvia and Christabel Pankhurst, those English ladies of the sweetly feminine names and sourly Amazonian tendencies, have decided to take opposite sides on the movement originated by their energetic mother, and accordingly there is a rift within the ranks of the militant suffragettes that time only promises to widen. Miss Christabel has been living abroad in the Parisian atmosphere, owing to the unchivalrous laws which slip at putting her in prison for destroying property and inciting to riot, and away from the source of the trouble, she has become a little less militant in her attitude towards the suffrage question. She is supported by many of the older members who have become either mentally or physically weary of the struggle, or who perhaps realize that the militant antics of the frenzied women have hurt the cause almost irreparably.

But sweet Miss Sylvia will not quiet down so easily—no siree. She has organized a peoples' army in the East Side of London and is making preparations which promise to set her on the pedestal of Joan of Arc. Having talked war and revolution so long, she cannot rest satisfied until she has battered down the turrets of Windsor castle or delapidated the tower of London. Mrs. Pankhurst has not expressed herself yet on the merits of the views of the sisters, but it is supposed in England that she leans to Christabel. There is more than a suspicion among the women so easily led into all manner of excesses that there was a method in Mrs. Pankhurst's madness, and those who looked over the financial stipulations of her American trip suspect so too. Mrs. Pankhurst is an unusually intelligent woman, and people of ordinary intelligence in England have long seen that militancy has only retarded the cause. Why then did she persist in keeping up the disgraceful spectacle so long? We may get the answer when the Misses Sylvia and Christabel get mad and talk back to each other—as they may be reasonably expected to do—for militancy has left them women at heart.

GREEN HILLS FAR AWAY

We are all familiar with the man who is very anxious to work but who cannot seem to find anything to do. In fact he is so discouraged about the local outlook that he has long ago given up the search for work, and roams round listlessly keeping busy people idle and boring the public generally with tales of the city's lack of opportunity, and the chances that are to be found elsewhere in abundance. "If I only had the coin," he says, "I'd beat it out of here pretty quick." It is extremely cruel to disillusionize this type of estimable being, but nevertheless it is only right to tell him that if he cannot find work in his home town the chances are that he cannot find it anywhere else. Recently the Ford company of Detroit made some remarkable concessions to its workers and the flood of unemployed that swept into the city has tied up the labor markets and made the outlook for the city serious. Detroit is a progressive and booming city but there is a limit to its powers of absorption. Similar reports come from San Francisco, where thousands swarmed during the past year thinking to find work owing to the coming Panama-Pacific exposition. Now the unemployed in California are numbered not by thousands but by hundreds of thousands. Hills are green far away, but the best way to keep them green is to look at them from a distance. The man who is out of work and really desirous of finding it cannot do better than search diligently in his home town. You cannot get that good job in California because the other fellow went out and got it five years ago and there have been a thousand after it since.

COTTON FOR AFRICA

Whether the African climate is changing or whether civilization is introducing clothing among the best black people of the dark continent, it seems that the natives are taking kindly to cotton, and it also seems from the report of the government expert who is here in connection with the exhibition of cotton samples at the rooms of the board of trade, that American manufacturers are not getting a proportionate share of the business which promises to become enormous. There are immense opportunities for American business expansion in many other foreign parts such as China, Japan, the Philippines, and the various countries of Latin America after the opening of the Panama canal. Some of the federal departments keep an eye to foreign business, but it might pay the representatives of American manufacture to keep in touch with the several consuls in foreign parts and to send representatives into the countries where there is supposed to be a good opening for American enterprise.

PUBLIC MARKET FOR HARTFORD

Hartford, Conn., seems to be in the same position as Lowell with regard to the agitation for a public market. A councilmanic committee has had the matter in hand and will recommend that the question be submitted to the popular vote at the next city election. A public hearing was held in that city recently at which the local arguments were brought out before a small attendance. It seemed to be the general opinion that a public market would do much to reduce the cost of living were it favored by the public. The profits of the middleman would be cut down and the entire cost of delivery would be offset. It has been the experience of many places, however, that the public market falls in some cases because the people it is meant to benefit refuse or neglect to avail themselves of it. Theoretically it is an undoubted factor in reducing the cost of living, but in its practical aspect a campaign of education is needed to stir up the public to its advantages. If public markets fail anywhere, the fault is on the people themselves.

A STEAMSHIP "WAR"

Owing to differences between two of the German steamship lines, and the championing of one of them by the English lines, there has been a serious misunderstanding resulting in keen competition and cut rates. When such has occurred in the past, the tourist rates went surprisingly low, and it seems safe to augur the same results from the present misunderstanding. There has also been some changing and readjustment of rates following changes of route among the British lines, so that on the whole, tourist rates will probably be usually low for the coming season. All of the steamship lines are capitalized for many millions, and they can afford to keep up a rate war for many months. Such a war is one that the ordinary tourist will cordially welcome.

Seen and Heard

To the average woman, Oriental luxury means divans, and rugs, and costly hangings, but she doesn't know about the dirt and fleas.

If a small boy is caught by his father dragging a stick along the pickets of his own front fence, he sometimes learns swiftly that it doesn't always pay to advertise.

One of the men who is fighting hardest against the Pillsbury site for the tuberculosis hospital looks as if he might soon be an inmate of such an institution.

One luxury that the ordinary woman may enjoy, but of which the proud queen is deprived, is that of going out into the kitchen on a rainy afternoon and spending a glad hour or so talking gossip with the hired girl.

When a man takes it for granted that you will always do anything he wants, you cannot always take it for granted that he will do anything you ask him to.

Beware of the man who makes it a rule to drop ten coppers instead of a dime into the collection plate at church, because they make more noise.

Frequently a man who thinks he is a first-class story-teller is looked on by others only as a bore.

They say that riches bring discontent, and perhaps they do, when you don't have them.

Another advantage connected with those Turkish-towel hats that the girls were wearing last summer was that some of them may be doing useful work as wash cloths now.

For a farmer to be successful when he goes to raising pork, the pen has to be mightier than the pig.

The old-fashioned housekeeper used to keep a stock pot for soup standing on the back part of the kitchen range. The modern housekeeper keeps a few ten-cent cans stacked up in the pantry.

The stingy man's favorite aphorism is that a man ought to be just before he is generous.

Just how mad is a wet hen, anyway?

Even the man who always pays his bills with a check doesn't always pay his bills.

Miss Samantha, the presiding genius of the kitchen, was relating her experience with an icy pavement. "Ah had an awful fall," she told her friend. "Comin' from church Ah fell on de consecrated sidewalk, an' Ah wuz two hours unconscientious afteh dey-tuk me home."

Why sigh for wealth? The richest man in the country has to pay the biggest income tax.

Did it ever occur to you that it must be tantalizing to be the player of one of the big bull fiddles in the opera orchestra and have to stand underneath the edge of the stage, with your back against the wall, all through the performance, and never see the show?

Just when does the prosperous man get beyond getting rich, and start in being wealthy?

Even if it is true that the typical Englishman is slow to see a joke, it isn't because the London fog eventually gets into his intellect.

The man who always stops to think before he speaks doesn't always say the right thing, even then.

The mere city person is sometimes surprised to learn that, although it is called buttermilk, it hasn't any butter in it.

"I'll tell you a funny one that's absolutely true," said Bunny Brewer, who has heeded the back-to-the-soil movement and recently taken up a homestead on an abandoned looking farm. "Last fall, along about hog-killing time, we had some folks from the city out here and a likely lookin' gal came out to see how I started the day's chores.

"We'll be awful busy today, lady," says I.

"What are you going to do?' says she.

"'We're going to kill a cow.'

"'What! a whole cow at once?'

"What do you think of that? Mebbe she thought we were going to butcher a tenderloin steak."

Some time ago it was desired to get Mike a position as crossing tender on the railroad and several of his friends went to the superintendent for that purpose.

"I would like to give Mike a job," responded the superintendent to whom he was well known, "but I am afraid that he won't do."

"Won't do!" exclaimed the delegation in surprise. "Why, he is one of the most careful and trustworthy men in the whole state."

"I know that," smiled the superintendent, "but I doubt if he would be able to wave a red flag while there was a green one handy."

This contribution is very faulty in spots, but we give it as it was postcarded to us. We are fond of the contributor.

"In a sweet Ohio village, whose chief industry is tillage, I sought a barber shop to get my hair cut. I didn't find the hair man, but a note tacked on the chair ran: 'Lam the stovepipe if you want me. Charley Faircut.' So I hit the pipe and waited till a girl came in, who stated 'Say, paw he's busy now out in the barnyard. He's a-woking like a fool, clippin' ol' Hank Rumsey's mule. You're the next one; but I'll bet that you'll get darn tired.' Buck Danks."

One day Smith and Jones were looking at a picture and admiring its wonderful realism.

"It makes me think of an artist that I once heard of," reflectively remarked Smith. "It is said that he painted cobwebs on the ceiling so truthfully that the servant girl wore herself into an attack of nervous prostration trying to sweep them down."

"He did?" responded Jones, as his face broke into a smile.

"Yes," declared the other, with a hurt expression. "You act as if you doubt it."

"Well," returned Jones, "there may have been such an artist, but there was never such a servant girl."

THE GOURMET'S LOVE SONG

As is the mint sauce to the lamb,
As is the fried egg to the ham,
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Like pork without the apple sauce,
Like hot cross buns without the cross,
Without you love, a total loss
My life would be!

Like apple pie without the cheese,
Or juicy lamb without the peas
Or lemon ice that would not freeze,
Would be my life.
You are the sirup to my cakes,
You are the mushroom to my steaks,
And so I beg for both our sakes,
O, be my wife!

I love you with my heart and soul,
More than young squab en casserole,
More than French dressing in the bowl
O, do be mine!
What? No? My future thus you spoil!
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Farewell! But still the pot will boil:
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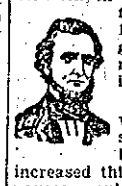

Some of the signs of worms are: Deranged stomach, furred tongue, belching, variable appetite, increased thirst, acid or heavy breath, nausea, enlarged abdomen, variable bowel action, pale face of leaden tint, bluish rings around eyes, itching of nostrils, languor, irritability, disturbed sleep, grinding of teeth, irregularity of pulse.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

PARTY ENROLLMENT

Brockton Times: The legislature has before it several bills providing abolition of party enrollment. Members of the three parties are interested, and there is no danger the subject will be slighted. Voters are cautioned, however, to watch the progress of debate carefully. This state's experience with the primary makes the question vitally important.

IRREGULAR WORK

Lynn News: If there is any problem which looks hard and is hard to a sober and industrious man, it is that of irregular employment. Especially is the case hard if the man has a family to support, and so many other men are in the same situation as himself that there are many applicants for every temporary job that might be available. We heard recently of a man who had averaged just two days' work a week for 11 weeks. And this man had at the time unusual calls for money, in connection with sickness in his family. What is a self-respecting man to do under such circumstances?

MODERN DRAMA

Fall River Globe: Ben Greet, the Shakespearian actor, in a speech before the Salmagundi Club in New York, pronounced "Damaged Goods" to be "a ridiculous and badly written play." It probably reminded him, however, of his favorite Shakespeare, it is so different. But then, in those progressive days of the social uplift and of moral reform as an applied science the Bard of Avon is a back number, of course, and he wouldn't probably be able to earn his salt as a playright in competition with the modern school of artists in that line.

AGAIN THE FINE

Salem News: The News would lay no claim to credit for having made a good guess on the disposition of the smuggling charge of which the wealthy Littauer brothers of Gloversville, N. Y., were convicted. In short, we allowed that they would escape with a fine. Unfortunately, it is too often the way, with federal courts, that while smuggling among poor people is often visited with prison sentences, millionaire offenders in this quarter escape with a fine. And what is a fine of a thousand dollars, or a few thousand dollars, to a rich smuggler whose income figures around $500 or $1000 a day?

NEW AND OLD

Woonsocket Call: Mayor Curley is laying waste among ex-Mayor Fitzgerald's appointees. The new mayor doesn't like the old mayor and he is unable to conceal his sentiments, or else is not trying to.

IN PERU

Burlington Free Press: And now Peru has blown out in revolution. Whether the proximity of the great American colonel had anything to do with the causes of the outbreak is not clear. At any rate the job was done with dispatch and with so little of the law's delay that the recall of a president was accomplished within 24 hours.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

FOUND DEAD IN BED

ON 13TH ANNIVERSARY OF WEDDING TO FIRST HUSBAND, WOMAN ENDS LIFE TO REJOIN HIM

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—On the 13th anniversary of her wedding to her first husband, Mrs. Margaret E. Hollingsworth, at her home at 9 Linwood Square, Roxbury, last night went deliberately to join him in death. She committed suicide by taking cyanide of potassium after having carefully staged for striking effect the final scene of her life's drama.

When her body was found, the picture of her first husband, Fred Culverwell, was clasped to her heart. Across its face she had written in pencil her farewell message: "I am going to join the one man I love in the world beyond the grave."

Seemingly happy in her married life with her second husband, Fred Hollingsworth, a prosperous traveling salesman, the fact of the suicide came as a staggering blow to him and to her family.

It also revealed for the first time another strange bit of the romantic life of the young woman, for she was only 33. On the night that Fred Culverwell died 13 years ago her first thought was to go with him at once. Locking herself in her room she turned on the gas. When relatives burst open the door she was found lying on the bed unconscious and was only revived with great difficulty.

After making her final preparations for death, Mrs. Hollingsworth reclined in bed and had her step-daughter, Ina Culverwell, a daughter of her first husband by a former marriage, bring her a cup of tea. This she drank, and as the girl waited to remove the cup, she noticed a collection of phials on a stand beside the bed.

Not long after another step-daughter, Edna Culverwell, went in to see if her mother was comfortable for the night and found her dead.

PREVENTS FIRE PANIC

MINISTER QUIETED HIS CONGREGATION WHEN BLAZE BROKE OUT IN HOUSE

The Rev. Norman MacQueen, pastor of the Union Square Presbyterian church, Somerville, quieted his congregation and prevented what might have been a panic when a fire broke out last night in the house at 19 Warren avenue, which adjoins the church.

The clanging of the bells on the fire apparatus and the tooting of the whistle on the engine as it turned into Warren avenue, where the church is located, served to unnerve some members of the congregation and three young women sprang to their feet and hurried out, when Mr. MacQueen called to them to keep their seats and be quiet as the services were not finished.

Others in the congregation who were about to follow the three young women sat down again. The service was finished very shortly after.

The fire started in the cellar of the house and burned up through the second and third floors. Several lodgers were in the house at the time and were forced to make a hurried exit.

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BREAKS NECK IN FALL

NORTH GROVERDALE WOMAN THE FIFTH TO DIE IN FAMILY IN FIVE WEEKS

WEBSTER, Feb. 9.—Mrs. Marie Crotteau Martel fell downstairs at her home in North Groverdale yesterday, crushing her skull, breaking her neck and dying instantly.

An extraordinary fate has pursued the Crotteau family from the time that one brother, Henry, died here early in January. Recently Mrs. Martel and her brother, Joseph, who is foreman at the Groverdale company's factory, went to Granby, Que., where their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Crotteau, were sick and died shortly after they arrived.

They were waiting on the Granby station platform to return here after the funeral when a telegram was handed them telling that another brother, Euclid, was dying at St. John's. They had just got back here yesterday from his funeral.

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COTTAGE TO LET, SIX ROOMS, newly painted and gas, $2.25 a week. Inquire 36 Cedar st.

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ROOM SUITABLE FOR BARBER shop or business office, to let; on second floor of the Harrington building, 52 Central st.

MY HOUSE AND STABLE AT 239 Wentworth avenue, to let. Chas. A. Eveleth, Lowell jail.

LOST AND FOUND

LARGE BLACK DOG LOST; WHITE paws, white breast; collar with bow of red ribbon; no name on collar; answers to name of Rover. Reward if returned to Mrs. O'Brien, 65 Durant st.

LADY'S GOLD WATCH CASE LOST between East Merrimack st. and Merrimack sq. Reward for return to 56 East Merrimack st.

MOROCCO POCKETBOOK WITH name C. W. Richards inside the cover, and a sum of money in it, lost. Finder please return to 26 Burlington ave. and receive reward.

PAIR WOMEN'S EYEGLASSES LOST at Opera House, Central or Merrimack sts., Monday afternoon. Kindly return to 445 Merrimack st., suite 25.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

FOR SALE

LADY LEAVING CITY MUST SELL within a week, new Columbia graphophone and records. Apply 65 Dover st.

TRASH WOOD FOR SALE, CUT ready for stove, $1.00 load; kindling wood, $1.00 and $2.00 loads; slab wood and oak wood all ready for stove. Geo. Lynch, 5 Marion st. Tel. 3503.

VARIETY, CONFECTIONERY, LIGHT grocery store for sale; ice cream and soda, good candy, cigar and tobacco trade. Nice stock and fixtures. Good location and good reasons for selling. Price low. Address S 94, Sun Office.

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THE GOOD PEOPLE OF LOWELL wanted to buy 11th Hour Asbestos Stove Lining, 15 and 25 cent boxes, at all stove dealers.

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EXPERIENCED SKEIN WINDERS wanted. Apply Lowell Textile Co., North Chelmsford, Mass.

YOUNG MAN WANTED FOR LIGHT work, Friday afternoons. Apply 273 Nesmith st.

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS WANTED. Commence $75 month. Lowell examinations Feb. 21. Sample questions free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 179 K, Rochester, N. Y.

SALESMAN WANTED BY WELL known manufacturer to handle high grade specialty sold to manufacturers; exceptional opportunity for big caliber commission man with knowledge of factory systems and operations. Apply P. O. Box M, Chicopee Falls, Mass.

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LEGISLATIVE HEARINGS

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in H. 793, that Lowell be authorized to acquire and rent land and structures for a municipal market, at room 136, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 10th, at 10.30 a. m. Andrew P. Doyle, Chairman. Arthur G. Greaney, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in H. 242, that park and reservation police or watchmen shall have one day off in every fifteen; at room 436, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 10th, at 10.30 a. m. Andrew P. Doyle, Chairman. Arthur G. Greaney, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Election Laws will give a hearing to parties interested in the following proposed legislation: H. 806, relative to notices or warrants for calling elections; H. 362, that district attorneys and county officers be nominated and elected in a non-partisan manner; H. 207, for a change in the hours of voting at primaries and elections; H. 612, relative to the nomination and election of county officers in Dukes County; H. 809, relative to the number of signatures required for the nomination of candidates for state officers; H. 1278, that voting be made compulsory and to provide a penalty for failure to vote at elections; H. 959, relative to elections in the city of Holyoke; H. 1115, for repeal of all laws governing caucuses or primaries; S. 244, that the hours of opening and closing the polls at primaries be made more uniform; H. 1275, for majority rule in elections; and H. 1587, relative to a preferential system of voting at elections in the town of Norwood, at room No. 441, State House, on Tuesday, February 10, at 10 o'clock, a. m. John H. Sherburne, Chairman. John J. Gilbride, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Insurance will give a hearing to parties interested in H. 365, on appraising personal property before insuring; S. 163, that mutual fire and mutual accident companies be liable in cases of bankruptcy, etc., of insured; S. 164, as to Mass. Employes Insurance Association; H. 980, that certain life policies be incontestable after the payment of first premium; H. 981, on unclaimed commissions in hands of life companies; at room 505, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 10th, at 10.30 a. m. Walter E. McLane, Chairman. Daniel J. Chapman, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 1098, for the promotion of the health and efficiency of members of fire departments of certain cities; and House No. 171, for increased efficiency in fire departments in cities of over forty thousand inhabitants; at room No. 436, State House, on Thursday, Feb. 12, at 10.30 a. m. Andrew P. Doyle, Chairman. Arthur G. Greaney, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Insurance will give a hearing to parties interested in the following proposed legislation: S. 81, on organizing mutual marine insurance companies; H. 979, for charter for The Automobile Mutual Fire Insurance Co.; S. 253, to unify mortality claims of savings and insurance banks; H. 1768, to prohibit discrimination, etc., of premiums other than life policies; and H. 1769, to prohibit discrimination, etc., of premiums on life policies, at room No. 505, State House, on Thursday, Feb. 12, at 10.30 o'clock, A.M. Walter E. McLane, Chairman. Daniel J. Chapman, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Mercantile Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate No. 303, to limit the hours for doing junk business; S. No. 304, to revoke the charter of French King Rapids Power Co.; H. 1244, preliminary report of the special commission of 1913 on the construction of buildings, etc.; S. 308, for elevator-rescue devices; H. 1315, on licenses for business finance brokers, etc.; and H. 1642, on the supervision of steam power and plant fitting; at room No. 437, State House, on Thursday, Feb. 12, at 10.30 a. m. E. C. R. Bagley, Chairman. David F. Sullivan, Clerk of the Committee.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary A. Kearns, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Thomas F. Kearns, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ann Kearns, otherwise called Ann Kerns, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Elizabeth A. Kearns, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of Mary McGlone, late of Billerica, in said County, deceased:

Whereas Margaret Reidy, executrix of the will of Michael McGlone, who was the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the account of said Michael McGlone's administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of David Lee, late of Pelham, State of New Hampshire, deceased:

Whereas, Abbie J. Clyde, the executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and second accounts of her administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the next of kin and all others interested in the estate of Caroline F. Newcomb, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Frederick P. Marble, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance the first account of his administration on said estate and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next of kin of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by delivering or mailing post-paid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

8-ROOM COTTAGE AND BARN FOR sale, $2000; modern 7-room house, $2600; modern 7-room cottage, $1850; two tenements, blocks. If you want a home or investments, see Vance, 88 Third st., Centralville.

THE WAUGH PROPERTY FOR sale; situated at 153 Walker st., Lowell, Mass. There is a large lot and very desirable location. Inquire of John W. Genaway, Malone, N. Y.

LAWRENCE PROPERTY FOR SALE. Money making proposition. Two stores and two tenements; pay 10%. $5000; can be bought with $1000 down; butchers fixtures in one store; dry goods fixtures in other; on principal st.; good location. Write or call. Hubert M. McMahon, office Room 411, Sun bldg.

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The most attractive new bungalow, modern in every respect, to be found in Lowell. Location all that could be desired. Built for owner's use, but must be sold at a sacrifice. See us about it. 6 tenement block, rents for $463 per year. Price $2750. Terms $300 cash, balance on easy terms at 5% interest.

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FINANCE COMMISSION

GOVERNOR WILL NOT APPOINT CARR, IT IS SAID—WILL GO OUTSIDE BOARD FOR CHAIRMAN

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Governor Walsh will not name Charles L. Carr of the finance commission as chairman of that body to succeed John A. Sullivan.

He stated to the members of the finance commission who called upon him to indorse Mr. Carr that he intended to go outside of the body for a chairman. The only republican that the governor has considered for the place is Robert J. Bottomley of the Good Government association.

The governor has stated to those who are interested in having Mr. Bottomley named, that he believes him to be one of the best qualified men in the city for the office, because of his training and experience in municipal affairs, but that he prefers to get a democrat for the place.

Corporation Counsel Corbett has been suggested for chairman to succeed Mr. Sullivan. It would be an interesting turn of events if the man removed by Mayor Curley from the head of the law department should be named as the head of the finance commission, thereby taking the place of chairman Sullivan, his successor in office.

John R. Murphy of Charlestown has also been suggested, and is being given consideration for the place. It is understood that Mr. Murphy has the backing of Representative Lomasney.

Governor Walsh states that he is anxious to get a man for the place who will be able to cooperate with the mayor and the city government as well as to criticise.

The governor will send his first big message to the legislature this week on the institutions. It is understood that he will recommend the abolition of boards of trustees and the establishment of a central management with a paid executive head. Under the scheme advanced by the board of efficiency and economy, the heads of the various state departments will be paid and made responsible to the central board of managers. They will be designated as secretaries.

This kind of an organization has been attempted very successfully in Ohio and Illinois. Mr. Walsh has arranged conferences with various boards of trustees for this week to discuss the work of the various state departments.

RAINING IN LONDON

BUT GIRLS DON'T CARE—THEIR TROUSERS ARE TURNED UP AT THE ANKLE—NAUGHTY!

LONDON, Feb. 9.—Fashionable women in London are agitated over the latest feminine mode, which is the creation of a well-known Parisian couturier of the Rue de la Paix. It is a walking costume, consisting of a short coat and a "wrap-over" skirt, fastening in front over a pair of trousers. The trousers have the fashionable centre crease and are turned up at the ankle.

INSURANCE OF WORKMEN

FRANKLIN MacVEAGH, CHAIRMAN OF INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF SOCIAL INSURANCE

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The organization committee of the first international congress of social insurance, to be held in Washington in October, 1915, has elected Franklin MacVeagh, ex-secretary of the treasury, to be its chairman.

The congress, among other subjects, will discuss insurance of workmen against accident, sickness and invalidism. The congress is primarily an official institution, its members being delegates from the principal governments of the world.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

FOR THE "CAUSE"

Woman Suffrage the First Question on Senate's Calender

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—With their minds preoccupied with immigration problems, trust legislation, treaty obligations and President Wilson's determination for reversal of policy on the Panama tolls question, administration leaders in congress had almost forgotten that they are face to face with the equal suffrage question.

Today the resolution to provide for a constitutional amendment extending suffrage to women is first on the calendar of business in the senate. Senator Ashurst, who is guiding the destinies of the resolution, does not expect it to come to vote, because several senators have notified him that they would like to discuss it.

THE TITANIC DISASTER

COURT OF APPEALS DISMISSED APPEAL OF WHITE STAR CO. FROM DECISION

LONDON, Feb. 9.—The court of appeals today dismissed the appeal of the White Star S. S. Co. from a decision of the king's bench court on June 30, declaring illegal the condition printed on the steamship tickets exempting the company from liability for loss by a passenger, even through negligence of the company's servants.

The question of legality of this exempting clause had been raised in a test case brought by an Irish farmer claiming damages for the loss of his son in the Titanic disaster.

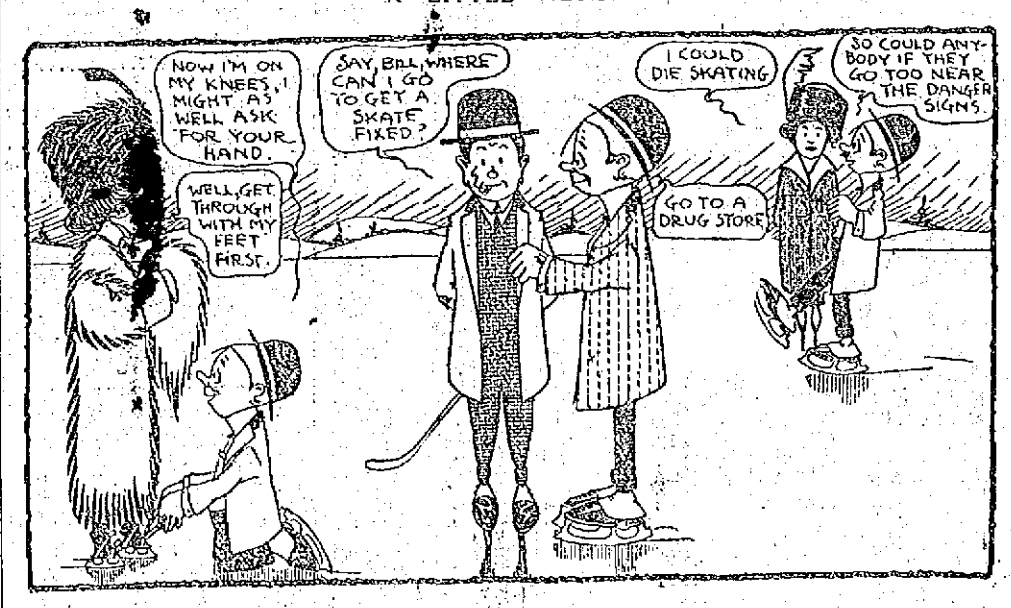
LECTURE ON SPAIN

Spain is a fascinating country in many ways. It is rich in history and architectural treasures. Many stereopticon views showing some of them will be displayed at the talk which Mr. P. S. Marden will give in the People's Club course Wednesday at 8 o'clock. The public is invited and there will be no charge for admission. The hall is in the Runels building, Merrimack square, and the elevator will run.

LINEUP OF PRISONERS

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The daily lineup of prisoners at "headquarters", an institution that was abolished three years ago when Rhinelander Waldo became police commissioner was resumed today. A platform has been erected in the gymnasium of headquarters building and each prisoner will be walked about it while about half of the city's detective force, masked, will note his appearance and movements.

A LITTLE NONSENSE



CO. M WINNERS

Defeated Co. G of Woburn in All Departments at the Armory

Company G of the Fifth, whose home is in Woburn, received a bad beating Saturday night at the hands of Co. M of the local militia on the floor of the Westford street armory. M athletes took all the possible points, shutting out the visitors without a chance.

The basketball game between the two teams was very close, M winning by only a one-basket margin. Moran caged the ball five times and proved the star of his team.

Although the Woburn team included the two Kean brothers in their shooting team they went down to defeat in this department. Sergt. Kean was high man with 79. The bowling was also a win for the Lowell company. Davis put up the best total for the locals. The scores:

Basketball

CO. G	CO. M
Mobbs f	lb Bickford
Hammond lf	rb Moran
Henly, Elliot c	c Gleason
Curtin rb	lf Hurley
Kerwin lb	rf McDermott

Score: Company M 14, Company G 12. Baskets: Moran 5, Kerwin 3, Hurley 2, Curtain, Mobbs. Fouls, M 6, G 2. Referee, Mann, K. Sixth; timer, Capt. Kean, G. Fifth; scorer, Mountain, K. Sixth.

Shoot

COMPANY G	
Sergt Kean	79
Capt. Kean	69
Private Graham	64
Cook Bustead	63
Private Hogan	33
Total	314

COMPANY M	
Cook Kirk	48
Sergt Moran	77
Corp. Erickson	77
Musician Callahan	78
Lieut. Christian	72
Total	362

Lieuts. S. R. Waller, range officer.

Bowling

Company G: Bustead, 210; White, 227; Mahoney, 234; Hogan, 291; Armstrong, 261. Total, 1272.

Company M: Mack, 261; Hobin, 277; Tickles, 268; Davis, 283; Kittredge, 246. Total, 1335.

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To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	From Boston Lve.	From Boston Arr.
3.45	6.50	2.35	3.37
6.25	7.28	6.00	6.53
6.47	7.36	7.14	8.21
b6.40	7.53	7.30	8.33
6.51	8.00	b8.21	9.25
7.11	8.05	9.00	9.29
7.35	8.37	9.30	10.05
x7.27	8.42	11.05	11.45
8.05	9.37	12.30	1.09
a9.12	10.24	1.00	1.39
9.48	10.37	4.00	5.00
10.50	11.16	5.00	5.39
10.55	11.49	b5.44	6.03
11.31	12.16	6.00	6.38
12.15	1.03	a1.14	3.32
1.45	2.25	8.00	8.38
2.30	3.25	b5.21	6.25
3.35	4.40	8.37	9.51
4.20	5.24	b5.31	7.10
5.31	6.26	6.14	7.29
b5.12	7.17	8.00	8.58
6.42	7.35	8.30	9.05
7.41	8.25	10.30	11.34
9.35	10.40	11.40	12.55

Portland Div.

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	From Boston Lve.	From Boston Arr.
6.45	7.55	x6.40	8.06
8.05	9.07	9.14	10.19
8.35	10.31	10.30	11.51
10.55	12.07	11.30	12.35
12.02	1.12	2.14	3.29
x1.27	2.35	3.30	4.40
3.40	4.40	5.14	6.11
5.15	6.25	6.05	7.05
7.25	8.37	7.00	8.15
9.05	11.18	8.50	11.09

Sunday Trains

Southern Division

6.47	7.50	8.45	9.47
7.21	8.05	8.50	10.09
8.05	9.04	11.05	11.44
8.45	9.49	1.00	1.32
9.06	9.55	5.30	6.21
10.20	11.17	8.00	8.38
2.42	3.28	8.30	9.09
5.10	6.06	9.30	10.25
6.45	7.50	10.14	10.53
7.41	8.25	10.30	11.35
9.35	10.40		

Sunday Trains

Portland Division

8.00	9.03	8.00	9.18
12.10	1.16	12.00	1.04
3.50	5.00	3.30	4.48
5.45	7.00	5.30	6.55
8.55	10.04	8.45	9.45

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Arthur G. Beharrell, formerly of the City Hall garage, has been appointed manager of the Fisk's Tire Co. at the corner of Appleton and Central streets.

Ernest Nelson, for some time a designer at the Merrimack Manufacturing company, has accepted a position with the New Market Manufacturing company of Newmarket, N. H.

The Kin-U-Wink girls held their annual sleighride party Saturday night. The party consisted of about 60 young people, who journeyed to Schofield's in Dracut, where a bountiful supper was served. A varied entertainment program was rendered and dancing was enjoyed until a seasonable hour. Among the invited guests were people from Cambridge, Marlboro, Nashua and Chelmsford. Those in charge of the affair were Carrie L. Mountain, general manager; the Misses Evelyn and Antoinette Benoit and Mary Anne Lambert. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. C. W. Mountain and Mrs. Edgie Erickson.

DIES AT AGE OF 100 YEARS

MRS. BERNARD PIERCE PASSED AWAY AT NORWICH, CONN., TODAY

NORWICH, Conn., Feb. 9.—Mrs. Bernard Pierce, a widow, died at the home of a daughter here early today at the age of 100 years.

NOTICE

DAVID GEROW wishes to announce that he will open his market at 164 and 166 Chelmsford street about Thursday, Feb. 12, when he will be pleased to see his many friends and customers.

IF IT'S AT THE OWL THEATRE IT WILL BE GOOD

Have You Seen the New Mirror Screen?

Today's Extra Feature
"The Harper Mystery"
With Florence Turner, lately of the Vitagraph Company of New York.
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Rogers Building, Merrimack Square
Illustrated Lecture on Spain by Mr. Philip S. Marden
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LINCOLN DAY IS RECOGNIZED

By Patriotic Service at Kirk Street Church Last Evening

Missionary Work Discussed by Sec. of Baptist Missionary Society

At the Kirk Street church, Sunday night, a service in recognition of Lincoln day was held under the auspices of the Brotherhood, and invited guests were present from the following patriotic orders: General B. F. Butler Post 42, James A. Garfield Post 120, Ladd and Whitney Post 155, G. A. R.; General Banks circle No. 26, Ladd and Whitney circle No. 8, Betsy Ross circle No. 21, Ladies of the G. A. R.; James A. Garfield W. R. C. No. 33, B. F. Butler W. R. C. No. 75; Sons of Veterans; Daughters of Veterans; Spanish War Veterans; Sons of American Revolution; Molly Varnum chapter, Lydia Darrah chapter, Old Bay State chapter, D. A. R.; Companies G and K, Sixth Massachusetts regiment, Lowell Mechanic Phalanx, Lowell City Guards, the guests of the Brotherhood.

REV. C. ARTHUR LINCOLN
Pastor Kirk Street Church

Besides the special anthems sung by the choir, the congregation joined in the singing of Julia Ward Howe's "Battle Hymn of the Republic" and "The Red, White and Blue," and the male quartet sang "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground" and "Star Spangled Banner." Arthur C. Spaulding played Keller's "American Hymn" and "Hail Columbia," as offertory and postlude, respectively.

Rev. George E. Lovejoy, past chaplain in chief of the G. A. R., delivered the Lincoln eulogy, referring to him as "The Peerless Patriot." In part, he said:

"No battle chieftain, however great his exploits, has ever been able to arouse such love or such pride as is borne toward Abraham Lincoln.

"No philosopher, however gifted, ever rested so securely in the esteem of an entire nation as has he.

"By all the standards with which we measure greatness, he was preeminently a great man.

"By all criterions by which we discern a divinity in men he was distinctively a God-made man.

"There is no necessity of our devoting time to a rehearsal of those incidents of his life which formed his stairway of fame and world-wide influence. But I submit that the career of Abraham Lincoln gives a mighty accent to the statement that in America we have no royal circles from whose narrow limits the leaders of the people are chosen, while the gaping multitude look on in open-mouthed wonder; for, every youth on this continent has as royal blood in his veins as had Lincoln and if he but so wills it, he can rise to an altitude where he will be recognized by all who appreciate true worth.

"Lincoln's religious life manifested itself in religious exercise. He was a habitual worshipper in the sanctuary. Go to Washington, and, walking down the aisle of the New York Avenue Presbyterian church you will come to an old black walnut pew, and, as you ask whose it was, you will be told that when the church was remodelled and the new oak pews were installed that old black-walnut pew was allowed to remain because it was a sacred thing in that church, for in it regularly Abraham Lincoln was found on the Lord's day and a more devout and thoughtful worshipper never lived.

"Would that many of our busy men might take note of this who claim that they get so weary with their work and business during the week that they cannot attend religious services on Sunday, for here was a man more intensely occupied than any other man in the nation, bearing heavier burdens than ever a public official or business man ever carried, and yet his religious sense was so strong that he felt called upon to honor his God by being a regular worshipper with the people of God.

"Moreover Lincoln was a man of prayer. We recall that impressive incident which occurred in the experience of an eminent actor Murdock, that when a guest at the White House during the most critical period of the rebellion, he went to his room, but could not sleep because a cry that approached a groan sounded nearby. His curiosity led him to the corridor and along the hall till he presently looked through a door ajar and saw upon his knees the chief ruler of the republic crying out to Almighty God for His help and guidance in that critical hour of the nation's life.

"Was not Abraham Lincoln a man of God? Yes, by every just criterion by which we measure the religious instinct of a sincere believer. After hearing of the surrender of General Lee and the collapse of the rebellion he caused to be written on the Capitol the words: 'Thanks be to God who giveth us the victory.'

"'A man of destiny' do you call him? Yes, but more than that: A man sent from God to accomplish God's far-reaching purpose, a man of the people for the people, serving the people.

Discussed Missionary Work

Rev. Hugh A. Heath, secretary of the Massachusetts Baptist Missionary society discussed the work of the society last night, at the First Baptist church. The speaker said he would not utter a word in discouragement of the foreign field, but he emphasized the fact that in America and in this state there is plenty opportunity for good work. The service was attractive, not only because of the very interesting talk by Secretary Heath, but also because of music by the church choir, and a solo by Miss Vivian Cowen, contralto.

"I want to impress upon you the importance of performing work at your own door," said Mr. Heath, "and at the same time I would be the last to say a word in discouragement of the foreign field. We have a tremendous task right here in Massachusetts, because conditions are changing so rapidly, and the methods of yesterday are not the methods of today. In education, for example, the plan of instruction at the present time is a great improvement over that which we thought ideal many years ago. Every department of life has undergone a change, and we must accommodate ourselves as quickly as possible to the new conditions.

"The problem of maintaining the small church in the out-lying districts is one that challenges attention. There are so many who assert that a church that is not self supporting should receive no encouragement. In a little town out among the hills of Massachusetts is a Baptist church that has only 65 children, and to these children recently we sent a man bearing a message of good cheer in the Christmas season. Some one criticized our action, on the ground that the expense was not justified in a church not self supporting, but our society takes the position that every church must have a chance to hear the word of God expounded, to the end that ideals may be established which will reflect permanent good.

"Out of that little church, I could name you many men who have made their way in the world, who have accomplished great good in various walks of life, and who owe their success to the principles taught in the institution which we have been criticized for helping.

"Another feature of our work which is assuming large proportions is that which arises from the influx of foreigners. Our duty to them is just as binding as it is to other people who have preceded them, for they are here to remain; and from them will come generations that are to advance or retard American civilization."

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CLEAN UP FIRE TRAPS

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Patrick A'Hearn newly appointed building commissioner of Boston, declared emphatically last night that he will enforce the laws against fire hazards regardless of who the owners of condemned buildings may be.

Mr. A'Hearn stated that he will clean out the fire traps in the North and West Ends, which have been allowed to stand for years because they are the property of some of the richest men in Boston.

He said that he had no more interest in one section of the city than another, and that he would enforce the laws in Dorchester as thoroughly as in other districts.

The new building commissioner believes that there are at present a sufficient number of laws dealing with fire hazards, but that they have not been enforced. He stated that he will enforce all of them.

"I want to stop fire hazards," said Mr. A'Hearn, "and I believe the best means of accomplishing this is by the prevention of the erection of fire traps. Boston is spending a million dollars now for a high pressure water service, but why would it not be better to have fire protection in construction?

"There are at present plenty of laws dealing with fire hazards, but they have never been enforced. I believe I am the man to enforce them, and shall do so without showing any discrimination. I shall enforce the laws as thoroughly in Dorchester as in other portions of the city. I am not opposed to the moneyed classes, but if they own property which is considered dangerous I shall proceed against them as I would against anyone else."

UNITED IRISH LEAGUE

LOCAL BRANCH TO HOLD LECTURE AND CONCERT ON MARCH 15 FOR HOME RULE CAUSE

The United Irish league will conduct an illustrated lecture and concert in Associate hall on Sunday evening, Mar. 15, for the benefit of the home rule cause. The subject of the lecture will be Ireland, of course, and the lecturer, Michael J. Jordan, Esq., who has been heard here on a former occasion, has secured a new collection of pictures which are very interesting. As secretary of the United Irish League of America, he is in a position to give the people of Lowell inside information upon the work of the league and the true status of affairs in Ireland, now so much befogged by false reports sent out by the opponents of home rule.

The lecture will be illustrated by an excellent collection of stereopticon views and will not only deal with the Ireland of today but give views of the most notable historic battlefields.

There will be a short address by Mr. P. C. Kelly of Charlestown, who is a good speaker and a staunch patriot, well known by Lowell Hibernians and others. He holds a position in one of the departments in the city of Boston.

There will also be a concert by able singers. The local branch of the league at the last convention pledged $1000 and has sent but $750 of this amount. It is expected the $350 will be netted at this meeting. The final passage of the home rule bill may be taken on or about St. Patrick's day unless some unforeseen obstacle arises to block its passage and again dash the cup from Ireland's lips. Such a thing is possible but not probable so far as the men on the Bring line can judge at the present time.

On account of the continuous campaign kept up by the Irish parliamentary party during the last year, the drain upon its resources has been very heavy, and while Mr. Redmond has decided not to make any other appeal, he relies upon all past pledges being redeemed.

Lowell Opera House
The House Beautiful
1.30 to 5—TODAY—6.30 to 10
Daniel Frohman Presents
MR. JAMES O'NEIL
In His Famous Version of Dumas' Masterpiece
"The Count of Monte Cristo"
The Dramatic Triumph of Two Decades
5—GREAT PARTS—5
Warner's Features Presents
"The Trail of the Law"
Featuring the Clever "Dot Farley"
3—GREAT PARTS—3
5—OTHER FEATURES—5
Biggest and Best Picture Show in New England.
Children 5c—Admission—Adults 10c

AT ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

Sermon on Propagation of the Faith by Rev. Fr. McGlinchey of Boston—Other Churches

At all the masses in St. Patrick's church yesterday Rev. Joseph F. McGlinchey, D. D., head of the society for the propagation of the faith of the Boston archdiocese, spoke on the work of the society and the great work it is doing in furthering the cause of Catholicity throughout the world. He urged on his hearers the necessity for missionary work and its cordial support, and he advocated a larger membership in the missionary society. The parishioners of St. Patrick's responded generously.

At the high mass at 11 a. m. Dr. McGlinchey gave an eloquent sermon on the work of the missionaries in all parts of the world, often amid unknown perils, of the hardships they undergo for the cause of Christ and of the vast tracts that still wait for the Christian harvester. He referred to the recent missionary congress in Boston and of the enthusiasm which it kindled throughout the archdiocese.

At the conclusion of the vesper service yesterday afternoon Dr. McGlinchey met several hundred of the congregation and enrolled many new promoters in the society he represents. Following the enrollment, he spoke of the satisfaction which the response of the people of St. Patrick's had given him, and he complimented the parishioners, and especially the members of the Propagation of the Faith for their generosity and charity.

Immaculate Conception

The high mass at the church of the Immaculate Conception was celebrated yesterday by Rev. Fr. Webb of the Tewksbury novitiate, and the sermon was preached by Rev. Fr. O'Brian, who spoke on the high veneration of the Catholic church for the Blessed Virgin Mary, and of the virtues which her life embodies. Veneration for the mother of God, he said, makes us understand by the human side of Christ, and it enables us to bring the mysteries of the God-head closer to our frail human nature.

This morning at 8 o'clock the 13th anniversary high mass was celebrated for the repose of the soul of Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I., who died Feb. 9, 1901, but whose memory is still fresh in the Immaculate Conception parish. The tenderness with which his memory is regarded was demonstrated by the large number of parishioners who attended.

St. Peter's

Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan celebrated high mass at St. Peter's yesterday, and Rev. W. George Mullin preached the sermon on the gospel of the day, the parable of the master of the vineyard and the laborers. The vineyard, he said, represents the church of Christ, and the lesson of the parable is that all should strive to work from the first hour uncomplainingly, leaving it to God to decide the payment.

In the afternoon at 3.30 o'clock a meeting of the committees in charge of the parish reunion, Feb. 17, was held and progress was reported by all. Rev. W. George Mullin spoke, and reports were read by General Manager John A. Quinn, Floor Marshal Arthur Cull, and the other heads of the many committees.

Sacred Heart Church

The Holy Name society of the Sacred Heart parish attended the 7.30 o'clock mass yesterday and received holy communion in a body.

At the high mass Rev. James T. McDermott, O. M. I., was celebrant and Rev. John P. Flynn, O. M. I., preached the sermon. The speaker also took occasion to thank the committees and the parishioners who assisted in raising funds for the recent campaign. He also announced that on Tuesday morning mass will be offered for all those who contributed.

The musical program was featured by a beautiful "Ave Maria," in duet by John McMahon and George Kerwin. Both singers were in fine voice and the piece was rendered in a very impressive manner.

The Holy Rosary sodality will hold its annual entertainment in the school hall on Thursday evening. An excellent program has been arranged for the event and a large attendance is expected.

St. Margaret's

A public novena in honor of St. Rita will be opened in St. Margaret's church tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock, with impressive ceremonies. A relic of St. Rita has been procured from Rome, and during the novena this will be exposed for the veneration of the parishioners.

At the opening services tomorrow evening a sermon will be preached by Rev. William D. Whalen of St. Peter and Paul's church, South Boston, an eloquent preacher.

St. Columba's

Rev. Fr. John A. Degan, pastor of St. Columba's made many important announcements at the masses in that church yesterday. There will be a meeting of the Tabernacle society at 8 p. m. to talk over important business. Tomorrow evening at 8 there will be a smoke talk and business meeting of the Holy Name society at which Mr. James C. Reilly, Esq. will give an address. There will be a whist party in aid of the church next Thursday evening at 8 in the parish hall. At the last mass yesterday, Rev. Fr. Degan expressed himself as much gratified at the result of the parish reunion which took place last week.

St. Michael's

The parish mass of St. Michael's church was celebrated yesterday by Rev. Fr. Denis F. Murphy and the sermon was preached by Rev. Francis Mullin, who spoke eloquently on the gospel of the day. There was a meeting of the junior branch of the Holy Name society yesterday afternoon at 2 p. m.

STEAMER IS STRANDED

ALL EFFORTS TO PULL BRITISH VESSEL FROM SANDBAR FAILED TODAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—All efforts to pull the British tramp steamer Queen Luise from the sandbar off the Seagirt, N. J., beach failed this morning. Three wrecking tugs and the revenue cutter Itasca stood by the stranded steamer all night. The derelict destroyer Seneca returned to this port today from the scene of the wreck for new hawsers, having broken all she carried.

$200,000
Removal Sale
TODAY'S MARKDOWNS
We are continually finding further items that should be reduced in price. The following are today's drastic cuts.

BOYS' $1.50 SCHOOL SHOES at.....98c
Black and tan calfskin, blucher style, also some high storm shoes.

MEN'S $2.00 and $2.50 SHOES at....$1.59
Gun metal, blucher and button, wide last.

WOMEN'S $1.00 and $1.25 WARM SHOES at.....69c
Warm lined shoes, in leather or felt tops, with leather sole.

GIRLS' $1.50 SCHOOL SHOES at....$1.00
Black and tan calfskin, made on nature shape last; all sizes up to 2.

$6 and $8 SERGE DRESSES, Each...$3.75
All Serge Dresses that sold at these prices put in one lot. All sizes in the lot, one or two of a style.

$8.00 and $10.00 COATS at.....$2.89
22 Coats put in at this price, mostly small sizes, different styles.

$6.00 to $8.00 RAINCOATS at, Each...$3.89
Every Raincoat that sold at these prices in this lot, about 32 coats, in all colors.

$2.00 and $3.00 SILK PETTICOATS $1.69
73 Petticoats of heavy Messaline, with or without dust ruffle; all lengths and shades.

69c to $1.00 WAISTS.....25c
About 25 dozen Waists that sold at these prices put in this morning from our regular lines.

WANTED—Saturday Afternoon and Evening Salespeople in the Shoe Department.

MEN'S GENUINE 25c INTERWOVEN HALF HOSE—In silk lisle thread, double heel, sole and toe, all colors, light and heavy weight, all sizes. Removal price, a Pair 17c

MEN'S 50c BLUE BELL CHAMBRAY WORKING SHIRTS—With collar on, made extra big and long. Removal price.....39c

BOYS' 50c JERSEY RIBBED UNION SUITS—In ecru color. Removal price.....29c

ALL OUR 25c PLAIN COLORS AND FANCY FOUR-IN-HAND TIES—Either open or reversible. Removal price.....14c

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Ladies' White Cotton Combinations, nicely trimmed with hamburg or lace, all sizes.
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Ladies' White Cotton Gowns, lace and hamburg trimmed, high neck, long sleeves; low neck, three-quarter sleeves.
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Ladies' Silk Lisle Hose, slightly imperfect, all sizes.
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Misses' Dresses, made of galatea, percale and gingham, fancy trimmed, sizes 6 to 14 years.
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MANNING HELD ON CHARGE OF MURDER

Accused as Accessory to Miss Herdman Who Killed His Wife and Ended Her Own Life—Victims Buried Today

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 9.—Accused as an accessory to Miss Hazel Herdman, the mother of his 18 months old boy, who on Friday shot and killed his wife and then ended her own life the following day after confessing her crime, Charles I. Manning today was held in custody while funeral services were held over the bodies of the two victims of the love drama.

From his cell Manning made the arrangements for the funeral of his wife, while Arthur J. Herdman, the Pompton Turnpike innkeeper, claimed the body of his daughter and arranged for its burial.

Early today the police detained Mrs. Hadie E. Garrabrants, sister of Manning, with whom he has lived since his separation from his wife. She is held as a material witness in the case.

The charge of murder against Manning, the police said, was decided upon early today after the accused man had been questioned off and on since late Saturday. Statements made by two women and a young man who were also brought to headquarters influenced the police to bring the murder charge against Manning. One of the witnesses was Mrs. Garrabrants. The identity of the other two witnesses was kept a secret by the police.

Miss Herdman in her statement attempted to exonerate Manning, but Chief Long says that evidence had been unearthed to show that he was an accessory and that he took Miss Herdman in his auto before the murder was committed.

BRUTAL ATTACK BY THUGS

Edward Campbell of Summer St. Set Upon by Men Who Asked Him for Money

One of the most brutal assaults that this city has known for a long time took place in Middlesex street a few nights ago when Eddie Campbell of Summer street was kicked and pounded into insensibility by three thugs. Mr. Campbell's body is a mass of bruises and in one cut in his head it was necessary to take nine stitches.

To a reporter for The Sun, today, Mr. Campbell, after considerable urging, told the following story: "It was about 11.50 o'clock at night that I was walking up Middlesex street when at the street leading down to the Appleton mills a fellow grabbed me by the lapel of my coat and pulled me in from Middlesex street. He asked me for a quarter and I told him I did not have any money to give him. Immediately upon refusing his request I was struck on the head and knocked insensible.

"I do not know who picked me up, but when I came to I was at home with nine stitches in my head and my right side was black and blue from my shoulder down. When I was pulled into the street leading to the mill I could see three men standing there. They gave me an unmerciful beating, but I have not said anything about it because I did not want the notoriety."

Mr. Campbell bared his side to the reporter, removed some bandages and showed his bruises. He also showed the cut on his head and with great fortitude, said: "I am glad that I'm living. I think they must have meant to finish me."

For Boys

Ask your doctor how often he prescribes an alcoholic stimulant for children. He will probably say, "Very, very rarely." Ask him how often he prescribes a tonic for them. He will probably answer, "Very, very frequently." Then ask him about Ayer's non-alcoholic Sarsaparilla. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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STEAMER ON FIRE

BORDEAUX OF FRENCH TRANSATLANTIC LINE DAMAGED TO EXTENT OF $20,000

HAVRE, France, Feb. 9.—Fire on board the steamer Bordeaux of the French transatlantic line did damage to the extent of about $20,000 today. The vessel was lying in the harbor and all of her cargo had been discharged. She arrived here on Jan. 21.

Come to Prescott hall, tonight.

500 RETURN TO WORK

EMPLOYES OF STUEBENVILLE, O., PLANT ON STRIKE SINCE JULY—500 STILL OUT

STUEBENVILLE, O., Feb. 9.—Five hundred of the one thousand employes of the Pope plant of the Phillips Sheet & Tin Plate Co. returned to work here today after a strike lasting since last July. Five hundred more will begin work March 1. No question of wages was involved, the men striking for recognition of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel & Tin workers. The company agreed to recognize a local committee but not the union.

Only 15c, Prescott, tonight.

WOMAN 107 YEARS OLD

MRS. BRIDGET D. CURRAN CELEBRATED HER BIRTHDAY YESTERDAY

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, Pa., Feb. 9.—Mrs. Bridget D. Curran celebrated her 107th birthday here yesterday at the home of her daughter. She ate a hearty dinner. She possesses all her faculties and is in excellent health.

Mrs. Curran, who was born in Ireland in 1807, has four sisters living, the "baby" being 84.

Her mother lived to be more than 104 years old.

B. & M. CAR SHOPS START WITH 300 MEN

Five Special Cars Left Lowell This Morning Carrying Workmen Who Stop in This City—Newcomers to Lowell Have a Jolly Time

Merrimack square was thronged with hundreds of strange men before sunrise this morning. They were all strangers, the men who came here Saturday from Keene, N. H., to go to work in the new repair shops of the Boston & Maine.

They were indeed a happy lot and made all manner of fun as they boarded special cars for the scene of their labors. The street railway men realized they had to contend with a rather unusual proposition, but they proved equal to the emergency and had the necessary extra cars ready on schedule time.

At the Shops

The doors of the big repair shops of the Boston & Maine Railroad Co. in Billerica were thrown open to the workmen this morning and about 300 men were assigned to duty. Over half of these people who arrived in Lowell Saturday morning have hired rooms in this city and they will travel to the cars shops by electric cars, their first trip being made this morning at 6.10 o'clock from Merrimack square.

The Bay State Street Railway Co. had made arrangements to take care of the many early passengers and in

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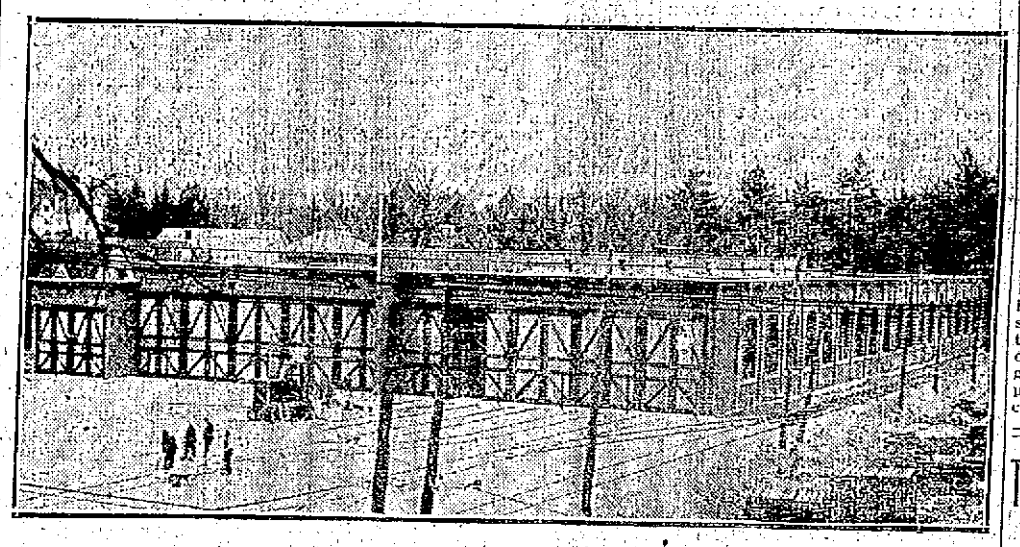
New Car House of Bay State Street Railway Co. Occupied



THE NEW CAR BARN OF THE BAY STATE STREET RAILWAY COMPANY ON MIDDLESEX STREET

The new car house of the Bay State Street railway, located on Middlesex street, near Burnside street, is practically completed and from now on most of the cars used by the Bay State company will be stored in the new building. The old house will be kept, however, but in the future it will not be necessary to station any of the cars on side tracks during the night and the congested condition at the old barn will be greatly relieved.

The new building is one of the most modern of its kind in the country and is built on the same plan as the Boston & Maine repair shops in Billerica. It is a massive structure 288 feet long and 145 feet wide and stands about 40 feet high. All of the floors are built of concrete and everything is up-to-date.

The construction work was started last March and men have been busy from that time until now getting the building ready for occupancy. A few painters are at work at the plant today putting the finishing touches on the posts on the inside of the building.

The building is divided into two sections one of which will be used for storing cars that are not taken out regularly. The other section can accommodate about 30 cars and it is expected that it will be filled every night. The cars to be repaired will be brought in on the tracks and as the pits are large the mechanics can get under the cars and work with ease. All of the electric wiring is covered with pipe and the whole building will be exceedingly well lighted so that any kind of repair work can be done during the night.

An automatic sprinkler system has been installed and all parts of the building are well protected from fire. The whole building will be heated by hot-water. The boilers are located in the eastern side of the plant.

About two miles of track have been laid in the new car barn and this is divided into ten different lengths. Each track is connected with the Middlesex street car line and it is very convenient for the men to run their cars into the barn for the night.

Most of the clerical work that was formerly done in the old house has been transferred into the new building and the various departments now have suitable quarters in the part known as the "lean-to." George Bannister will have general supervision of the whole plant and John McMillan will have charge of the repair work.

IN SERIOUS CONDITION

CLARK MULHOLLAND OF WILLIE STREET TAKEN WITH A HEMORRHAGE AT POLICE STATION

Clark Mulholland of 52 Willie street was taken with a hemorrhage at the police station last night and was at once removed to the Chelmsford street hospital. His condition was very critical last night and up to this afternoon no symptoms of improvement have been noticed by the physicians. What brought on the attack is not known.

WOMEN DISAPPOINTED

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENT FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE WAS DEFERRED BY SENATE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Consideration of the proposed constitutional amendment for woman suffrage was deferred again in the senate today because several senators gave notice they wished to discuss it later. A large gathering of suffrage supporters, which packed the galleries expecting to see the resolution pass was disappointed.

A member of the local Italian colony sends profuse thanks to The Sun for favors received through Commissioner Carmichael.

NIAGARA RIVER WATER

NEW YORK STATE OFFICIALS URGE DIVERSION FOR POWER PURPOSES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Gov. Glynn, Attorney General Carmody and other New York state officials urged the internal affairs committee today to authorize the diversion of the Niagara river water for power purposes at an aggregate daily rate of 20,000 cubic foot a second within New York's jurisdiction.

The delegation later conferred with Chairman Sparkman of the rivers and harbors committee, urging improvement of the Hudson river by deepening of the channel, the improvement of East river, Lake Champlain and other state projects.

Interfere with state regulation of Niagara water except as it might affect commerce or national defense. They favored the bill which under the treaty with Great Britain of Jan. 11, 1909, would permit the diversion up to 20,000 cubic feet a second, instead of the 65,000-odd feet pursuant to permits by the secretary of war at the application of state officials.

Warnetta's Dancing ...CARNIVAL...

ASSOCIATE HALL

Next Friday Evening

ARREST BANK PRESIDENT

CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT—ALLEGED SHORTAGE OF $1,000,000

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 9.—C. H. Raine, president of the Mercantile bank, one of the leading financial institutions in the city was charged with embezzlement in a warrant sworn out today by Z. N. Estes, county attorney general.

The accounts of the bank, which is a state institution, are alleged to be short between $700,000 and $1,000,000. State banking officials ordered the institution closed after the reputed shortage became known yesterday.

G. C. Hutton, state superintendent of banking, was appointed receiver for the bank in accordance with a chancery bill filed by attorneys representing the bank's directors. Investigation of the bank's condition was started immediately.

J. C. Ottinger, president of the Memphis Clearing House association, issued a statement declaring that none of the members was affected by the failure of the Mercantile bank.

JUDGE QUINN STRICKEN

SALEM, Feb. 9.—Judge Joseph Quinn was taken suddenly ill on the superior court bench here today. Physicians, who were in court, attended him and he was taken home, court being adjourned for the day. It was believed that Judge Quinn's illness was not serious.

Second Edition

FOR LATER LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC NEWS AND TODAY'S STOCK MARKET REPORT SEE NEXT EDITION.

CITY COUNCIL TRYING TO SLASH ESTIMATES

Made Poor Success on Saturday and Are Making Another Try Today—Grade Crossing Hearing—Other City Hall News

The five men who constitute the municipal council are endeavoring, so they say, to hew to the line on the departmental estimates for the year. They held a private conference Saturday afternoon and another today and according to all accounts they did not succeed in reducing the total amount to any very appreciable extent. Mayor Murphy stated this morning that the estimates would not be discussed in open meeting until the council had decided and agreed upon the total cut. "We went over the estimates at considerable length, on Saturday," said the mayor, "but we did not succeed in reducing the grand total very much. We are going to try it again today. We instructed the auditor to prepare a statement showing the appropriations for 1913, the increase in labor, etc., this year and with a statement prepared in this way we are going to try and make a cut that will apply to the estimates as presented. I do not believe in cutting where the money is actually needed. I believe in a constructive rather than a destructive policy. We hope to be able to get the estimates in shape so that we may take final action upon them at tomorrow's meeting of the municipal council."

Grade Crossing Hearing

The special commission appointed for the purpose of taking evidence in the matter having to do with the abolition of the grade crossings in Middlesex and Fletcher streets will give a hearing at city hall on Saturday morning next at 10 o'clock. The commission will hear persons who have anything to offer relative to the abolition of the crossings along the line of urgency and necessity as it applies to public convenience. The commission, consisting of Geo. F. Swain, Esq., chairman; Nelson Brown, Esq., and Patrick F. Cooney, Esq., will in all probability take a view of the premises in order to familiarize themselves with conditions as they at present exist and the effect of the proposed change.

State Board of Health

The municipal council in all probability will not attend the hearing to be given by the commission on grade crossings as the council has a date with the state board of health at 10 a. m., Saturday. Members of the state board are going to view the different sites offered for sale and gratis to the city for a contagious hospital. The visit was to have been made last Saturday but was postponed on account of the weather and if the weather should prove other than propitious next Saturday the visit will be again postponed. When the visit is made it is planned by Commissioner Morse to have the municipal council take special notice of the condition of the streets over which the party will pass. This will not mean much, perhaps, if the appropriations have been decided by that time.

Paving Gorham Street

There is a bare possibility that after the estimates have been trimmed, to the queen's taste, as the saying goes, considerable of the street work planned for this year will be allowed to go by the boards. It looks, from the street, as if the council would do one of two things, cut a very thin slice, or cut deep. If it's a deep cut the street department will have sore flanks. The city engineer is busy on estimates for the paving of Gorham street from Davis square to Corbett street, and this is the biggest street job proposed for 1914. If the street department gets the hook, good and plenty, this job will have to go over for another year.

Civil Service Examinations

There will be a number of civil service examinations held at city hall this week and for Thursday the city messenger has been asked to set aside the new and old councilmanic chambers for examinations for police and janitors. The civil service commission has also asked for the use of the councilmanic chamber on Wednesday but the notice does not state what the examination will be.

Miner's at Asso., Lincoln's birthday.

BIG DECREASE IN STOCK

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The statement of the Copper Producers' association, as of Feb. 1 shows a decrease in stocks on hand of 4,142,182 pounds.

THE INITIATIVE PAPERS

TEN DAYS ALLOWED BY CHARTER TO FILE SUPPLEMENTAL NAMES

It would seem that the remonstrants to the Dr. Pillsbury estate as a site for a contagious disease hospital refuse to read aright that section of the charter having to do with the initiative. Section 60 of the charter, as amended, deals with the initiative and the language is very plain. It doesn't require the service of a Philadelphia lawyer to properly interpret it, but with the opponents to the Pillsbury estate as a hospital site it looks like a case of the man convinced against his will being of the same opinion still.

Beginning at line 51 of section 60 the following appears: "Such petitions shall be signed (meaning the initiative petitions), sworn to as to signatures, examined, re-examined, presented to the municipal council, shall have the city clerk's certificate of sufficiency or insufficiency attached thereto, and may be supplemented in the same manner as petitions filed under section fifty-nine."

Now we turn to section fifty-nine to ascertain what is written there and we read, beginning at line 24: "If, from the city clerk's certificate the petition appears not to be signed by the requisite number of voters, it may be supplemented, within ten days after the date of such certificate, by other papers, signed and sworn to as aforesaid, and all other papers containing a like demand and statement, and signed and sworn to as aforesaid, shall be deemed supplemental to the original petition."

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PARLIAMENTARY BATTLE

In British Parliament Will Open Tomorrow — Home Rule the Leading Issue

LONDON, Feb. 16—After the longest vacation that members have enjoyed since the liberal party came into power eight years ago, parliament reassembles tomorrow for a session that promises to be full of hard work and excitement. There are not only the home rule and the Welsh disestablishment bills, which come up for third passage and then to become law despite anything the lords may do, but there is a great mass of other business which will compel the government to fight continuously to hold the confidence of the house of commons. From start to finish of a session a British government must keep on the alert to prevent an adverse vote, which, if it has the backing of a majority of the members, means the retirement of the ministry. The danger will be more acute than ever during this session.

Under Fire

From the moment that King George leaves the house of lords after delivering his speech from the throne, opening the proceedings, the government will be under fire, not only from their unionist opponents, but on several questions from liberals as well. Fortunately for the government it probably will have the support of many unionists on the questions that th revolting radicals will choose for their attacks.

The session will open with debate on the reply to the speech from the throne. This reply outlines the government's measures and members of the house are privileged to criticise it at any point they desire. For example, some member may move an amendment expressing regret that the government did not accept the invitation to have an official British exhibit at the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco. It is expected such a motion will be made and it probably will receive considerable support.

But the real test of government strength is more likely to be taken on some more important subject. Some way will probably be found for bringing up the Irish question, although the home rule bill is already before parliament and is therefore excluded from this preliminary debate on the government's program. A motion might be made, however, regretting that the negotiations for settling the Ulster situation had failed and this would mean a test vote.

Every unionist member has been requested to be present on the opening day and no pairs with opponents are being granted ,so it appears certain that the opposition plans to force the government to either resign or dissolve parliament.

The Ulster faction under Sir Edward Carson will start upon a policy of obstruction by which if possible the government may be forced into a dissolution.

The government forces, however, are still unbroken and it is expected the ministry will be able to weather every storm.

TONSILS GOOD FRIENDS

DOCTOR CAUTIONS AGAINST TENDENCY OF PRESENT DAY PHYSICIANS TO REMOVE THEM

BOSTON, Feb. 7.—The tendency of present day doctors to urge the removal of tonsils for the most trivial throat trouble was cautioned against by Dr. Algernon Coolidge, Jr., in a lecture at the Harvard Medical school yesterday.

He defined a very important function that he considered tonsils might perform in the throat of a human being. The mouth and nose, he said, are the only portals for the body as a protection against disease. The tissue, or tonsils, that surround these portals take all germs passing through and hide them away in its crypts.

"It is highly probable," added the doctor, "that here in the crypts of the tonsils is generated the anti-toxin that makes us immune from certain diseases that surround us." At any rate, the tonsils may be of use, and as long as they do no harm should be left alone, was his contention.

"Up to 20 years ago there were no operations for tonsils," said Dr. Coolidge. "Yet it is not a new disease that affects this tissue and gives reason for the modern operation. The good results of such operations and the fact that it involves little or no danger tempts the physicians to recommend the removal of tonsils too frequently.

"It has become a popular operation. A simple attack of tonsilitis or a sore throat should not be sufficient grounds for this operation.

"An important factor is the seriousness of the trouble. If the patient is threatened with a serious disease it would be a matter of neglect not to perform this simple surgery. If the tonsils are very large and are swollen frequently, if there are frequent attacks of tonsilitis or recurring abscesses, then there should be immediate cause for an operation.

"The same is true of adenoids. If a child shows persistent breathing through the mouth, snoring at night or symptoms of deafness, an examination would probably show that the adenoids are at fault.

"Washes and sprays cannot be depended upon. They are all right if the trouble is on the surface of the mucous membrane, but if the trouble lies deep beneath the surface, in the crypts of the tonsils for instance, the only remedy is to resort to surgery.

"The operation should be considered seriously and only submitted to when one is convinced that recurring sickness is due to diseased tonsils. A perfect healthy tonsil would be found to contain innumerable germs and bacteria upon examination. That is the part I believe the tonsils play in the mouth. Instead of the germs passing into our system they seize readily upon the tonsils. Unless there is a leakage from the crypts into the tissue and substance behind them, the tonsils care for the bacteria and no harm is done."

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A well attended meeting of Knights of Equity, court 53, was held yesterday afternoon in the Harrington building. Considerable routine business was transacted and several new members were initiated into the order. The inability of the installing officers to be present at the meeting necessitated the postponement of the scheduled installation till Tuesday evening, Feb. 17.

Lowell Council, K. of C.

The committee in charge of the coming party of the Knights of Columbus held a meeting in the rooms on Anne street yesterday afternoon and final arrangements for the affair were made. It was announced that a whist tournament would be run in connection with the event and prizes will be awarded to the winners. The members are planning on forming a glee club.

Tired Blood

That which is lacking in vitality, debilitated, weak and thin, cannot possibly give proper nourishment and strength—it must be purified, built up and vitalized by HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA.

Y. M. C. I. LEAGUE

Two Good Games of Basketball Played Off Saturday

Two good basketball contests were played off Saturday in the Y. M. C. I. league, the Blues defeating the Reds, and the Whites winning their game from the Greens. Both games were close throughout and interesting enough to hold the attention of the large crowd.

Kennefick and Lyons starred for the Blues, and the shooting of Linehan for the Whites was the feature of that contest. McMahon and Haggerty also played well in this game. The scores and summaries of the two games:

BLUES	REDS
Lyons lf	rb Clark
Kennefick rf	lb Curtin
Maguire c	c Shields
Chappell rb	lf O'Neil
O'Donnell, Bilodeau lb	rf Rheault, Conroy

Score: Blues 28, Reds 22. Baskets from the floor: Lyons 5, Kennefick 5, O'Neil 4, Chappell 3, T. Clark 3, Shields 2, Conroy 2. Points on fouls: Reds 2, Blues 2. Referee: P. Clark.

WHITES	GREENS
Linnehan rf	lb McCartin
Logan lf	rb Haggerty
McMahon c	c F. Haggerty
Roane, Bradley rb	lf Beane
Gilligan lb	rf Jarrett

Score: Whites 36, Greens 32. Baskets from the floor: Linnehan 9, McMahon 5, F. Haggerty 5, Logan 4, Jarrett 4, Beane 3, McCartin 3. Points in fouls: Greens 2. Referee: King.

DROPPED DEAD IN AUTO

BRIGHTON PHYSICIAN EXPIRED WHILE RIDING WITH HIS WIFE AND FRIEND

BOSTON, Feb 9.—Dr. Horace Eugene Marion, of 5 Sparhawk street, Brighton, a well known physician, clubman and Civil war surgeon, dropped dead while riding in his limousine on Commonwealth avenue early last evening, in company with his wife and a woman friend.

Dr. Marion had shown no signs of failing health, although he was 70 years of age. He has practised his profession for over 40 years in Greater Boston.

Dr. Marion was a surgeon in the Civil war, and for some time director and surgeon in the Massachusetts National Guards. He was also Boston school inspector for a while, past grand warden of the Grand lodge of Massachusetts Masons, a graduate of Dartmouth Medical school in 1869, and a member of the state board of health Associates.

He was also a prominent clubman, and belonged to many medical societies. His wife, one son, Gardiner, and a daughter, Eva, survive him. He has been a resident of Brighton since January, 1870.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TO EXTEND CIVIL SERVICE

TO THE APPOINTIVE POSITIONS OF THE VARIOUS COUNTIES—SEVERAL BILLS IN

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—"A determined effort will be made this year," said Secretary Arthur H. Brooks of the Massachusetts Civil Service association, Saturday, "to bring the appointive positions of the various counties of the commonwealth within the civil service laws and rules. And from present indications, it looks as though this effort would be successful.

"The number of bills which have been introduced this year calling for the extension of the civil service laws and rules to those positions show clearly enough the trend of public opinion. There is, of course, no sound reason why these positions should not be under the merit system.

"If a clerk in a department on one side of the building is working for the state and therefore is classified, why should a clerk doing similar work for the county in another part of the building not be classified?

"Fitness for the appointive position to the county should be the sole test and the test of such fitness should be the civil service examination, not the political pull.

"The uprisings against the so-called county rings that have taken place in various parts of the state have stirred up public sentiment in favor of taking the appointive offices of the counties out of politics. The introduction this year of a group of bills extending the civil service law to appointive positions in the counties is one of the first results of an awakened public demand for efficiency in the administration of county affairs."

The interest in these bills is so great that the public service committee of the legislature has assigned the entire morning of March 6th for the hearing on them. It is a little unusual for the committee to mark its calendar so far ahead, but the committee wishes to give proponents and opponents of the measures plenty of time to marshal their arguments.

THIEF SNATCHES MUFF

RITA MYERS, SEVENTH VICTIM OF SNATCH THIEF OPERATING IN SOMERVILLE

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Rita Myers, 17, of 253 Willow avenue, Somerville, is the seventh victim of the snatch thief who has been operating so extensively and successfully in West Somerville during the past fortnight.

While on her way to church last night a young man walked up to her on Highland avenue near Henry avenue and said that he was going to walk along with her. At the same time he put his right arm in her left arm, which he held firmly and with the other hand snatched the white muff which the young woman was carrying and ran away.

The man ran down Hancock street to the Somerville Highlands station of the Boston & Maine railroad, where he took to the tracks and was lost sight of by his pursuers, who were attracted by the screams of the young woman. In his hurry to get away the fellow dropped the muff and it was picked up on Hancock street.

ADMITS MANY THEFTS

MAN ARRESTED IN LAWRENCE CONFESSES TO ROBBING STORES ALL OVER NEW ENGLAND

LAWRENCE, Feb. 9.—Mysterious shoe store robberies in many New England towns are explained, in the opinion of Captain W. H. Proctor of the state police, through the seizure here yesterday of 210 pairs of shoes from the shop of Samuel and James Tarallo and the alleged confession of Charles E. Green, who was arrested at Windsor, Vt., after a burglary there. The Tarallos gave bonds in $300 each on a charge of receiving stolen goods.

Vermont officials who accompanied the state officer here said Green mentioned in his confession burglaries in Milford, Northbridge, Norfolk, East Brookfield, South Deerfield, Essex, Upton, Northfield and Uxbridge, and also in towns in Connecticut, New Hampshire and Maine.

CONFERENCE ON UNEMPLOYMENT

A national conference on unemployment will be held in New York on Feb. 27 and 28 under the joint auspices of the American Section of the International Association on Unemployment and the American Association for Labor Legislation. Mayor John Purroy Mitchel of New York will open the conference in the city hall on the morning of Feb. 27, and mayors of the principal industrial cities as well as governors of states have appointed delegates.

Reports upon recent employment conditions will form an interesting part of the opening session, but the principal emphasis of the conference, according to the program, will be on constructive proposals for prevention of unemployment. The program includes a public meeting Friday evening, Feb. 27, in Cooper Union in joint session with the People's Institute. A prominent feature of the second day will be the discussion of plans for immediate action in the various cities and states and a luncheon meeting for the delegates at the City club at which there will be several short addresses and reports of committees.

Charles R. Crane, chairman of the Chicago commission on the unemployed, is president of the American section, and among the other officers are Henry S. Dennison of Boston, Chas. P. Neill, ex-commissioner of the federal bureau of labor, John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers, and Prof. Chas. R. Henderson, secretary of the Chicago Unemployment commission. The president of the International Association on Unemployment is Leon Bourgeois, formerly president of the French council of ministers. The vice president is Richard Freund, head of the German Association of Employment Bureaus, and the secretaries are Louis Varlez, inventor of the "Ghent System," and Dr. Max Lazard of Paris. W. H. Beveridge of the British board of trade, the leading English authority, is also prominent in the movement abroad.

The association, organized in 1912, publishes a quarterly journal, and its purpose as stated in the by-laws is "To coordinate the efforts made to combat unemployment and its consequences, to organize studies, to give information to the public, and to take the initiative in shaping improved legislation and administration, and practical action in times of urgent need." The secretary, Dr. John B. Andrews, with headquarters at 131 East 23rd street, New York, announces that 19 American states and eight cities have already established free public employment bureaus while several official commissions are at work on the problem. Illinois has a state commission, in addition to the municipal commission in Chicago, and Governor Dunne has appointed the following state delegates to the national conference in New York: Hon. John Barton Payne, Chicago; Mr. John Fitzpatrick, Chicago; Mr. John H. Walker, Springfield; Mr. H. P. Simpson, Rock Island.

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PROFESSOR O'NEILL DEAD

MUSICIAN AND COMPOSER WHO TAUGHT MME. NORDICA BURIED TODAY

SHARON, Feb. 9.—Prof. John O'Neill, musician, composer and musical critic, prominent in Boston musical circles for many years, is dead at his South Pleasant street residence in this town. John O'Neill has made his home here since his retirement from active work about 15 years ago.

Prof. John O'Neill was born at Clonmel, Ire., March 15, 1829. He was educated at Dublin college of Music and in Italy. He was for many years a teacher at the New England Conservatory of Music at Boston. His most famous pupil is Mme. Lillian Nordica, who recently came to this town and spent the day singing for her old master. The funeral services will be held today.

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LAWYERS IN LIVELY TILT

Clash at Public Service Commissioner's Investigation of New Haven's Publicity Expenses

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—A defense of his action in handling advertising matter for the New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co. while he was a member of the legislature was made by Representative Cleveland Chandler, an advertising agent, at the public service commission's investigation of the road's publicity expense today. Mr. Chandler, who testified on Friday that he had received more than $3000 last year for New Haven advertising, said he merely followed the method of other agencies. The railroad company, he said, prepared the advertising matter and he saw that it was placed and collected from the road the money with which to pay for it. The appearance on the witness stand of E. D. Robbins of New Haven, general counsel for the railroad company, precipitated a lively argument between W. A. Coolidge, one of the road's attorneys and A. D. Hill, a lawyer representing the Boston Journal. Mr. Hill wished Mr. Coolidge to examine Mr. Robbins after which Mr. Hill would cross-examine the witness, but Mr. Coolidge refused.

Mr. Robbins testified that he was the head of the New Haven company's legal department and that although he had placed his initials on vouchers that were shown him he had no intimate knowledge of what services had been performed for the payment indicated by the voucher. His approval of the payments was merely a matter of form.

Most of the railroad's attorneys were hired by him, he said, although he did not engage Arthur P. Russell, who, according to witnesses at previous sessions of the investigation was the road's executive council last year.

Mr. Robbins said that the only attorney he had engaged in Massachusetts recently was Charles F. Choate, who was asked to represent the railroad at the hearings before Charles Prouty, of the Interstate commerce commission last spring.

PANAMA CANAL TOLLS

PRESIDENT WILSON IS OPPOSED TO EXEMPTION OF AMERICAN COASTWISE SHIPS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—President Wilson let it be known today that from the first he regarded as an unwise policy the insertion in the democratic national platform of the plank favoring the exemption of American coastwise ships from the payment of Panama canal tolls. The president feels that a platform declaration on such a subject is related to one which can arise all over the world as well as in the United States and that only in the element which the United States can control the situation ought to be binding.

Mr. Wilson told callers today that the whole international situation and the point of view of foreign governments was to some extent involved in the settlement of the controversy. He intimated that platform declarations should be limited to matters of domestic policy and should not embrace relations with foreign governments.

It is said to be the president's views that treaty relations with other nations might be embarrassed if what is construed as a violation of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty were to be insisted on by the United States.

It was made clear, however, that only Great Britain had protested. The president told callers that Great Britain through her representatives had not approached the American government on the question in any way since Viscount Bryce left here a year ago.

The president told callers he did not intend to send a message to congress on the subject of Panama tolls; that he felt his attitude had been made sufficiently clear in a recent letter to W. L. Marbury of Baltimore. He expects congress to repeal the tolls provision during the present session any may confer soon with Rep. Adamson of the house committee on commerce, which should have charge of such legislation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barrett of Chelmsford Centre are rejoicing on the birth of a daughter, born last Thursday.

The many friends of Mrs. H. J. Hunt of 67 Mammoth road will be pained to learn that she is confined to her home suffering from pneumonia.

FRESNO DAN RECOVERING

OLD RUSSELL HOUSE IS NOW OPEN TO VISITORS FOR FIRST TIME IN FIVE YEARS

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—For the first time since the famous Russell will case started five years ago the bars of secrecy that hedged the mansion of the late Senator Daniel Russell, founder of the contested fortune, were let down yesterday.

The last of the detectives which so long guarded the mysteries of the interior of the house from all but a privileged few has been sent away, and life in the home so long shadowed has resumed a normal course.

But possibility of a resumption has just been threatened through the likelihood of dangerous sickness of "Fresno Dan" Russell, the accepted heir and new proprietor.

He has been suffering with a painful abscess in the throat, it was learned for the first time yesterday, and for a while it looked as if his condition might take a grave turn. He has been under constant medical care for some time and rumors spread in Melrose that he was fatally ill.

These proved exaggerated, as "Fresno Dan" himself told a reporter yesterday, chatting with him in the noted parlor, the location of whose every book and picture and chair played such an important part in establishing the rightful heir.

The whole attitude of distrust and gloom which has shrouded the place has at last been swept away, as far as possible, by "Fresno Dan," and Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand B. Almy, who are making their home with him.

Anxious inquiries after Fresno Dan's health are asked by Mr. Almy to "come in and see for themselves."

"I have really not been seriously ill," Fresno told the reporter. "The abscess in my throat has been very painful, but is now better. I have had to take care of myself."

BERNARD FEENEY, 13 ELM ST., IN the wood business, sells the largest one dollar load out.

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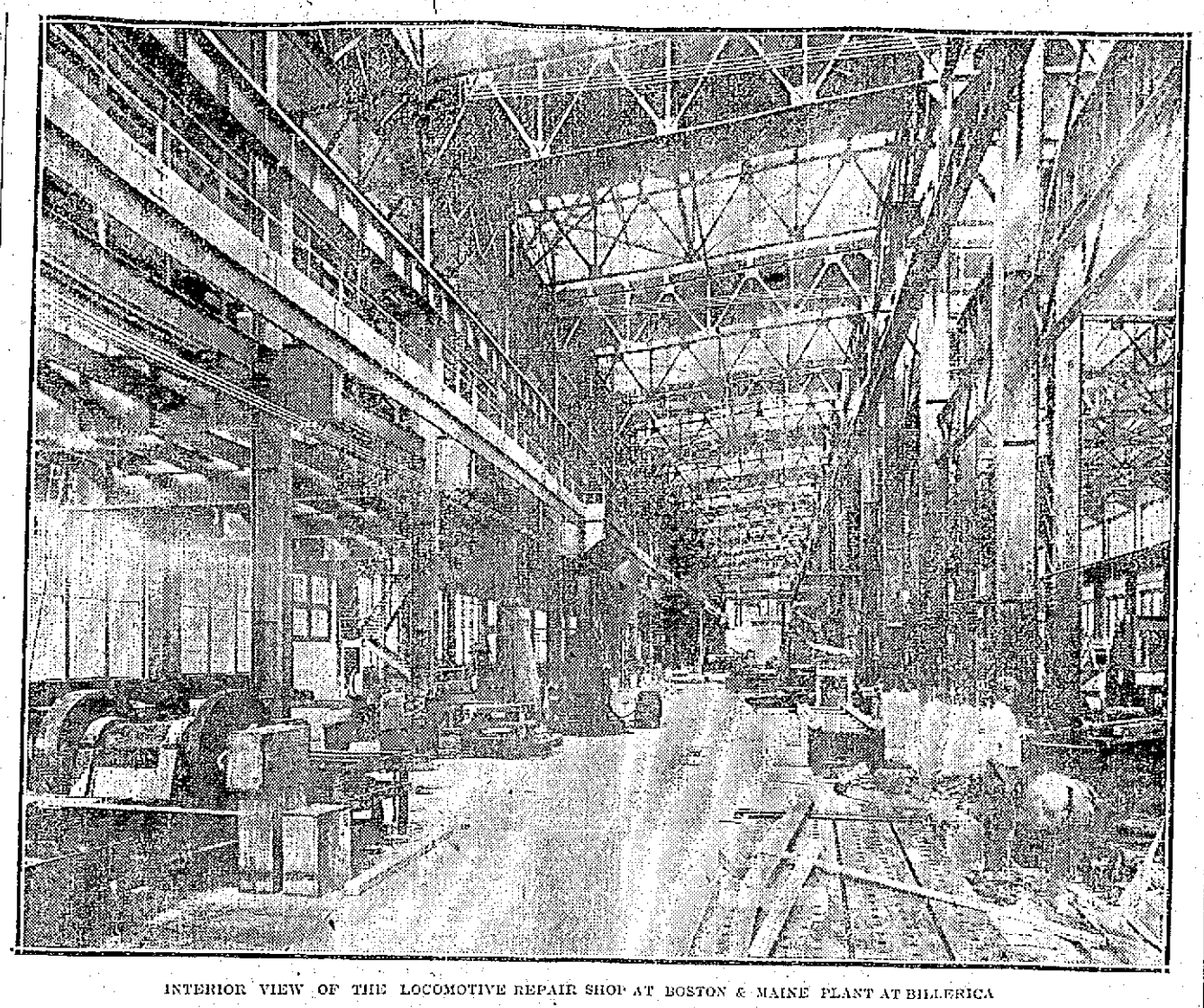

INTERIOR VIEW OF THE LOCOMOTIVE REPAIR SHOP AT BOSTON & MAINE PLANT AT BILLERICA

B. & M. CAR SHOPS

Continued

order not to delay the regular traffic, of the cars on the Boston line, a new cross-over has been installed near the junction of the Boston road and High street in Billerica.

The merry crowd of workmen left Merrimack square in five special cars this morning and the scene at the square was something in the nature of a picnic.

The party consisted of young men and old men, all experienced workers in their respective lines. The cars arrived at the stopping place about 6.45 o'clock and then the men covered the distance to the shop on foot, a good 15 minutes' walk.

The workmen reported at the office of the company and from there they were assigned to the different foremen in the locomotive plant. Work was started soon after 7 o'clock and for the first time the whistle of the large repair shop was blown. The men were immediately assigned to their respective jobs and before noon the machinery was running smoothly and from the sound of the hammers, the whirr of machinery and the general surroundings, one might imagine the plant had been running for weeks.

Some time of course was spent in the distribution of men to their various tasks, but the bosses and foremen are good disciplinarians and they soon had all details arranged for the day's work.

A number of those who arrived in Lowell Saturday from Keene and Concord, N. H. have been successful in hiring rooms in Billerica, but others who prefer city life come directly to Lowell and have secured suitable quarters. The only inconvenience for all workmen is the long walk from the car tracks to the shops, but still that is better than traveling on the steam railroad.

The employes of the car shops will work nine hours a day, that is from 7 a. m. to 5 p. m. with one hour for dinner. This afternoon at five o'clock the special cars will convey the machinists back to Lowell, and until further arrangements are made by the Bay State company special cars will run to the shops morning and night. The men are of the opinion that in the spring the Bay State company will extend the South Lowell tracks to the shops, and it is fair to assume that this improvement will be welcomed by all, even if the company were to run cars only morning and night.

A number of the workmen who arrived Saturday have already looked over the ground to purchase land upon which they intend building homes, and it may be but a short time before many of them have their families removed to Billerica or Lowell. Most of the men who came from Keene and Concord owned their homes in the latter cities, and as soon as they can dispose of them they will either build or purchase residences in the vicinity of the shops, for, as one stated, they have come to stay. The shop will be running full force in about three months at which time it is expected outside help will be hired.

Local Machinists Waiting

One of the old employes of the Lowell Machine shop stated this morning that many of the men now at work at the "Big Shop" are patiently awaiting the time that outsiders will be hired at the car shops, for they feel certain that the wages will be much higher than in the local shops, and that working conditions will be better. He said a number of men have already filed their application with the officials of the car shops and as soon as their services are wanted they will leave the old land mark and enter a new field of work. What the officials of the "Big Shop" will do to retain their help is not known, but many feel that an increase in wages is forthcoming, for they believe this is the only practical way to keep the help in the "Big Shop," if such men are looked for by the Boston & Maine company.

Employes From Concord

Men high in railroad authority give assurance that the forces employed at the Concord, N. H., shops of the Boston & Maine railroad will not be reduced below 600 men as the result of the opening of the new shops at Billerica. So far 100 men have been transferred here from Concord and 200 more expect to come later.

This statement was given out this morning by the Associated Press and as a matter of fact the men now employed at the Billerica car shops have come mostly from the company's plant at Keene, N. H. In addition to the men who started work this morning, another crowd of about 150 arrived at the shops this noon. The men arrived by the railroad station in this city shortly before noon and they immediately boarded electric cars for Billerica.

Some of the men carried their tools, while others brought along what clothes they will need for a few days, for they expect to return to their homes Saturday night, and come back Monday morning. They were immediately put to work, some going to the locomotive shop, while several others were scattered to the various buildings, paint shop, dressing plant, blacksmith shop, power house and store room.

Repairing Locomotives

Several locomotives of the largest type were brought to the shop during the past few days and some of them are now undergoing thorough repairs. While the writer was in the locomotive shop this forenoon one of the large engines was lifted off its truck and by means of the two large Shaw cranes was removed to other parts of the building, where it was dropped down on wooden blocks. It is interesting to see how those powerful cranes work.

The cranes, the capacity of which is 130 tons, are operated by means of levers, which are manned by young men. They are electrically driven and they can be swerved in any direction. The shop is equipped with machinery of the latest type and considerable work is being done. The pipers are still at work repairing the steam pipes, where a burst occurred a short time ago. Although this work is not quite completed the plant is sufficiently heated and the assistant engineer stated this noon if the thermometer does not drop down much lower than it was this morning no trouble will be encountered.

There were very few men at the shops in search of work this morning and those in charge hope strangers will keep away from the plant until more help is needed, proper notice of which will be given through the newspapers. The men are allowed a half hour for dinner and accordingly they quit work at 4.30 o'clock. A lunch room was recently erected near the shops and when the place opened for the first time this noon many took advantage, while others ate their dinners in the shop, some of whom purchased food from a lunch cart which was driven near the premises. There are over 100 cages on the spur tracks in the yard and those will be repaired as soon as the other parts of the shops are started, and that will be within a few months.

MIDDLE AGED WOMAN WANTED to do housework; Protestant preferred. Apply 10 Payton st., off Pleasant.

DEATH OF MRS. DUBS

WIFE OF DR. DUBS, HEAD OF EVANGELICAL MISSION WORK IN CHINA, PASSED AWAY

HARRISBURG, Pa., Feb. 9.—A cablegram from Shanghai, China, today announced the death of Mrs. Dubs, wife of Dr. C. Newton Dubs, head of the United Evangelical mission work in China.

BAPTIST CONFERENCE

LARGE GATHERING AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH THIS AFTERNOON—MANY TOPICS DISCUSSED

A workers' conference was held this afternoon in the First Baptist church on Church street under the auspices of the Sunday schools of the Merrimack River Baptist association. The following topics were discussed:

At 3.30, "Church Attendance Reinforced from the Bible School," Rev. C. H. Howe, South Framingham; 4, "A Standard of Excellence for Baptist Bible Schools," Mr. Harry V. Meyer, Boston; 4.30, "Some Effective Methods of Sunday School Work," Rev. York A. King, Lawrence; 4.45, special conferences for young men led by Mr. Ralph W. Channell of Malden. Topic, "The Boys' Auxiliary and What It Means." 4.45, special conference for young women led by Mrs. Claude E. Patch of Stoneham. Topic, "The Girls' Helpful and What It Stands For." 6, supper in the church parlors; 6.45, "A Problem that needs to be met," Claude E. Patch, Stoneham; 7.15, "The Church, the School and the Home," Mrs. Florence Cameron Ladd, Boston; 7.45, closing address, "The Heart of the Bible," Rev. Floyd L. Carr, Roslindale.

Broderick's orch., Prescott, tonight.

U. S. AVIATOR KILLED

LIEUT. POST FELL 500 FEET WHEN ENGINE OF HYDRO AEROPLANE EXPLODED

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 9.—Lieutenant H. B. Post, first Aero Corps, U. S. A., was instantly killed today by a fall of 500 feet in a hydro aeroplane. About 150 feet from the surface of the bay, Lieutenant Post was seen to shoot clear of the machine. It was said by watchers that the engine exploded.

FUNERAL NOTICES

LEARNED—Died Oct. 7, at his home in Wamesit, Henry J. Learned, aged 71 years. Funeral services will be held from his late home in Wamesit, Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 10, at two o'clock. Friends invited to attend. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Young and Blake.

TANCRED—The funeral of Miss Katherine A. Tancred will take place tomorrow morning from her home, 23 Walker street, at 8 o'clock. A mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

EVANS—The funeral of Mrs. Lucy B. Evans will take place Wednesday afternoon from her late home, 569 Lawrence street. Services will be held at the house at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial will take place in the Edson cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge.

LEAVITT—Died in this city Feb. 9th, Mrs. Mary R. Leavitt, aged 61 years, 2 months and 5 days, at her home, rear of 42 Billerica street. She is survived by two children, Mrs. Robert Gourley and Harry W. Leavitt, and three grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at rear of 42 Billerica street Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Henley.

MARTIN—Died in this city, Feb. 7, at his home 161 Pleasant St., Bernard C. Martin, aged 34 years. Funeral from 161 Pleasant street, Tuesday morning, at 8.15 o'clock. Funeral mass at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Undertaker J. F. Rogers in charge.

Prescott hall, tonight. 16c.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Henry Willette and Miss Annie Corcoran were united in marriage at the parochial residence of St. Peter's church Sunday evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Heffernan. The bridesmaid was Miss Nellie Scholes and the best man, Mr. William Chouinard. Mr. and Mrs. Willette will make their home in this city.

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Wait for our Great Annual February Furniture Sale. Our regular prices are lower than so-called marked down prices you see advertised in the Boston papers. So you see what a feast of bargains awaits you here, with an honest reduction from our regular low prices.

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ELKS BURY ARCADIA DEAD

Eighteen Unidentified Victims of Lodging House Fire, Rest in Common Grave

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—In the burial of the 18 unknown dead of the Hotel Arcadia fire yesterday by the Boston Lodge of Elks the spirit of the brotherhood of man was so strikingly portrayed that churchgoers halted in their tracks, heads were bared in the nondescript throngs that lined the streets, and later, at the side of the massive 10 feet by 30 grave in Mt. Hope cemetery tears came to the eyes of many in the assemblage of 5000 when Mayor Curley spoke feelingly of the fate of the unfortunates.

No tragedy in the history of Boston has produced so unusual a spectacle, that of a procession of 18 hearses filing through the city streets. Such a cortege, convoyed by hacks and automobiles containing members of the Elks and others who came to show their reverence for the unknown dead, drew the marked attention of the street crowds from the time of departure at the morgue of the Boston City hospital until the cemetery in West Roxbury was reached.

Originally there had been plans for the interment of 19 bodies, but several days ago one was positively identified as that of John Leahey of South Boston and was taken in charge by relatives.

Another identification placed a victim in the known list as William Sullivan. He was buried with the others after his relatives had expressed a wish that it should be that way.

Before the start was made for the cemetery the Rev. J. J. O'Connor, S. J., of the Immaculate Conception church, who is also chaplain of the City hospital, held a brief prayer service in the morgue chapel over the body that had been identified as that of William Sullivan.

The small edifice was crowded with the members of the committee appointed by the Elks, and with the committee of the city's undertakers who had lent their aid in the preparation for the burial. Edward Mahoney, organist for the Boston Lodge of Elks, supplied the music from the chapel's small organ.

The unusual procession proceeded along Washington street to the West Roxbury district. Among the vehicles which followed the hearses were two carriages containing women and men relatives of Arthur Judd, a Boston man who has been missing since the Arcadia fire. One of these, a brother, told a reporter that although no identification had been made, it was his belief that his brother was among those lost in the burning of the Arcadia.

Police details were personally attended to by Captain Driscoll at the hospital end, and by Supt. Pierce at the cemetery end, although both of these officials were scheduled for their weekly "day of rest."

Old and young, the prosperous and the manifestly poor were crowded around the great grave into which the remains of the unfortunate 18 were placed.

Each casket was enclosed in a pine box, which was designated by a nickel plate bearing the morgue number. As each number was called off, the box was lowered into the grave.

The caskets were placed in two tiers, the lower tier containing ten and the upper eight.

After all the bodies had been deposited in their last resting place, Mayor Curley, himself a member of the Boston Lodge of Elks, with bared head delivered the final tribute to the fire victims. After the mayor had finished, George Carruth, chaplain of the Boston Elks, gave the Elks' committal prayer.

Next came the soft strains of "taps" by Edward Carr, a member of the Boston lodge.

Then when 18 beautiful floral sprays and a massive wreath had been cast upon the upper tier of boxes, Mayor Curley grasped a shovelful of earth, cast the contents on the remains, and said:

"May their souls rest in eternal peace!"

A chorused "Amen" was the response of the assemblage.

A fitting memorial of stone will be placed over the grave by the Boston Elks. For this purpose the sum of $500 was realized at a recent meeting. The lot in which the bodies were buried was purchased by the Elks to save the unfortunates from being placed in Potter's field.

Baby's Terrible Skin Humor Cured

Milk-Crust Formed a Solid Scab, But Resinol Cured in Four Days

Detroit, June 21, 1913.—"About a Year ago my two-months-old baby was troubled with what they call milk-crusts. The lower part of her body was a mass of sores. It began with small pimples, then they turned to one whole scab. The scab would break open and then it would bleed. She suffered much, as she cried night and day.

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So all old people need Cascarets. One might as well refuse to aid weak eyes with glasses as to neglect this gentle aid to weak bowels. The bowels must be kept active. This is important at all ages, but never so much as at fifty.

Age is not a time for harsh physics. Youth may occasionally whip the bowels into activity. But a lash can't be used every day. What the bowels of the old need is a gentle and natural tonic. One that can be constantly used without harm. The only such tonic is Cascarets, and they cost only 10 cents per box at any drug store. They work while you sleep.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

OPERA HOUSE

James O'Neill, the eminent romantic actor who was last seen in Lowell in support of Viola Allen in "The White Sister," will be seen in his famous version of Dumas' masterpiece, "The Count of Monte Cristo," at the Opera House today and tomorrow. Endorsed by three generations of continued popularity, this famous actor and fascinating play are too well known and admired to require extended comment. Dumas' powerful story illustrates with sweeping force the eternal triumph of right, and its development is marked by the sustained charm of genius. Mr. O'Neill has caught the spirit that animates the hero of the tale. As Edmonde Dantes he has the carelessness grace, the droll humor and brusque heartiness characteristic of the honest sailor lad. As the count, his bearing assumes the serious finality and firmness befitting the man with but a single and sacred aim in life, and through all the phases of the character there runs that delicate vein which exalts Mr. O'Neill's effort to the dignity of a superbly harmonized artistic impersonation. This wonderful five reel feature was produced by the Famous Players Film company and has a record run of over six months at the Herald Square theatre, New York city. In addition to the above feature will be seen the three-reel Warner masterpiece, "The Trail of the Law." This western melodrama is of the distinctive type that so picturesquely portrays the rugged life of the rancher as it was in reality on the frontier back in the early "sixties." The scenes are most alluring, this picture having been produced right in the heart of the barren mountain ranges that lie in northern New Mexico. The plot is woven about a jilted outlaw who, when spurned in love, attempts to carry out an intricate plot in seeking revenge. One's eyes are ever on the screen as the story unfolds, thrill follows thrill with rapid fire precision throughout the three parts, making this photo-play a red-blooded, gripping production that will hold your attention.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

A likeable musical comedy, with all of the adjuncts of the kind which is now the rage in New York and the larger cities of the country, will be in first place at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week. Murray Harris, a competent singing comedian, and Miss Ruby Caldwell will have the leading parts in the little affair, and six beautiful singing and dancing maids will comprise the company supporting the two stars. The act is based on the love affairs of a young society man, who suddenly finds himself confronted with enough of beauty and smartness to suffice for several ordinary men. Instantly the lovelorn one is plunged into uncertainty as to his course. A seventh maid, however, comes along and to her he gives his heart and sings sweetest love nothings. The act is full of scenic and costume effects and it will prove a novelty.

Miss Mabel Page, a young woman who earned her spurs in Broadway productions for the Frohmans and for Belasco, will be seen in Una Clayton's eminently satisfactory comedy entitled "The Understudy." Miss Clayton has written something which teems with real life and the smiles and tears which will be accorded the act are manifestations of the joy one will get at looking at a play so palpably true and human. The story of the piece concerns "Betsy Brown," from a small Maine town, who imagines she has learned the art of acting through a correspondence school. Convinced that her art is of such quality that the keenest of managers of the metropolis will instantly engage her, she goes to New York, and is finally given a chance with the "In the Tolls of the Tempter" company. Naturally enough she doesn't make good, at least in her acting, although her sweet, frank character endear her to her associates and the final curtain shows her about to succeed in another line of endeavor. Miss Page, who plays the leading character, is exceptionally well equipped to play the rather difficult part. For a number of seasons she was a member of the supporting companies of William Gillette, W. H. Crane, and Viola Allen.

When two comedians can be located who can sing then there is pretty sure of being a mighty attractive vaudeville team. This is the case with Freeman and Dunham, who are noted, sought after on all the "big time" circuits, and who are going to please Lowell audiences this week. They work either in or out of character make-up and this speaks volumes for the songs and funnyisms which they deliver.

Hilda Mason and George Murray give some highly polished vaudeville. Miss Mason is a very attractive young woman, who sings and dances well and who is rated as one of the best dressed women in vaudeville, while Mr. Murray has a fund of whimsicalities to give and which are guaranteed to hold the true funny ring to them.

Artists, varying in ability, have appeared from time to time on the stage, but painters in oils have seldom, if ever, invaded the precincts of the variety theatre. However, Vandinhoff and Louie, who will appear on the bill paint only in oils and they paint beautiful flowers and landscapes. Their work is very highly commended, not only for its novelty but because of its thoroughness and great artistry.

Women gymnasts of great reputation are the Delvo Idanias, who were formerly special features with the Barnum & Bailey circus, and whose dare-devil work will give audiences plenty of thrills. The two Alfredos have a brand new novelty to offer. As usual, the Pathe Weekly pictures will close the bill. Good seats for all performances during the week may be secured in advance at the box office. Phone 28.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Four clever Hawaiian dancers captained by the only and original Toots Paka will hold the first position on an excellent bill arranged for the first three days this week at the Merrimack Square theatre. It hardly seems possible that a theatre charging the low prices of admission found here, could afford to play such an expensive person as this famous dancer, but such is the case and not only have she and her company been booked, but three other acts and an excellent series will also also be found. "Toots" will be seen in her famous Tango nature dance and also several others. She is ably assisted by the four other members of her company and the whole is said to be extraordinary in the extreme. Frivoli, the shadowgraphist, also on the bill has something new in his line, while "Roundy" Roane, the popular illustrated song singer will sing two new catchy songs.

THE OWL THEATRE

The new mirror screen which was recently installed at the Owl theatre is making people talk; the clearness of the pictures with this improvement cannot be described, it remains to be seen. Miss Florence Turner, the Vitagraph favorite during many years, is being starred in a three-act picture of mystery and intrigue. "The Harper Mystery" is the product of the Turner Films, Ltd., and it is an exceptionally well acted detective story, in which a woman takes the leading part. How she catches one of the cleverest criminals and the way she clears up the mystery of an old lady who is being held by some crooks who are trying to get her fortune are told in a stirring manner. She cleverly outwits the villains and the praise of the chief of police for her courage is a great satisfaction to her. Five other good pictures are to be shown, all Mutual "movies," and every one is a winner. This service will be regularly shown at the Owl, and it promises to be all that it has been advertised. The Mutual Girl made her debut last Friday and her second adventure will be shown on the coming Friday and Saturday.

THEATRE VOYONS

It would be difficult to imagine a more laughable photo-play than Wild Beasts at Large or When the Menagerie Broke Loose, a two-part vitagraph comedy that will be shown at the Voyons for the first part of the week. The animals certainly have a great time while they are at liberty. The lions visit a butcher shop, the monkeys make a call on some ladies in a fruit store, a pair of leapards visit a barber shop and a couple of man eating tigers call on a man and his wife at home. Come and see the fun when a dozen or more snakes enter a saloon and the patrons think they are seeing things. Be sure and bring the children as these reels are a continual laugh from start to finish.

The C. B. Coburn Co., through the medium of its permanent demonstrator, is having a demonstration of Gold Medal gelatine at the store in Market street, serving to the ladies and those interested, dishes of delectable fruit jelly with maraschino cherries and bananas. The splendid quality of Gold Medal gelatine is deliciously exemplified in the fruit jelly Mrs. Smith is serving.

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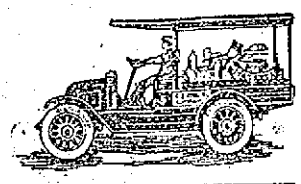

BANK IS CLOSED

Directors Allege That President Lost $800,000 in Speculation

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 9.—Alleging that almost $800,000 has been lost through speculations of C. H. Raine, president of the Mercantile National bank, ten directors of that institution last night ordered that the bank should not open its doors for business today. The bank was considered one of the strongest here.

In a petition for a receiver filed in chancery court today the directors allege that with liabilities of approximately $2,196,894 but $1,400,000 can be found. They charge that Raine secured the money "by a system of handling drafts, property and exchange in such a manner as to deceive the directors and conceal his manipulations."

Action was decided on at a meeting of directors and creditors yesterday after a report had been made to them by a New York correspondent who had audited the Mercantile's books when it was found that loans made to the local banks were not proportionate with amounts usually secured at this season. At the meeting, it is said, Raine asserted that none of the other officials of the bank knew of the discrepancies and turned over his personal estate, which he claimed to be worth approximately $350,000. The mercantile bank is capitalized at $200,000. Its last published statement showed assets of about two and a half million dollars.

The alleged discrepancy was discovered by a representative of a New York correspondent of the bank, who was sent to Memphis last week to audit the books of the Mercantile bank, when loans requested were found to be out of proportion to the amounts usually asked for at this season of the year. His report told directors yesterday, which brought the situation to a climax, was the first intimation that the bank was not in a prosperous condition, according to the directors.

It is stated that President Raine, who attended yesterday's meeting, absolved all of the officers and directors of the bank of implication in the alleged shortage and tendered his personal estate, which he valued at $350,000, to the bank. So far he has made no formal statement.

The dance committee in charge of the coming dance of the Keedon Klub which will take place in Associate hall, next Thursday, Lincoln's birthday, met last evening and perfected plans. A record breaking crowd is anticipated.

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TRAINS COLLIDE

Four Passengers Injured When Train Split the Switch at Salem

SALEM, Feb. 9.—Four passengers were injured today when a train on the Marblehead branch of the Boston & Maine railroad struck an open switch and crashed into a freight car here today.

William H. Payne of Marblehead was taken to a hospital to be treated for bad cuts about the head. The other injured persons, William Murray and F. A. Balcomb of this city and John T. Collins of Danvers were taken to their homes.

The freight car was demolished but no part of the passenger train left the rails.

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One of those most honored in connection with the work of raising the large fund for St. Elizabeth's hospital, Boston, was Rev. William H. Grant of South Boston, formerly connected with St. Peter's church, this city. Throughout the campaign Fr. Grant was intimately connected with the leaders who had the collection in hand, and that his efforts were appreciated was amply demonstrated at the City Club in Boston last week when at the banquet signalizing the completion of the work, he was introduced to speak. He received a tremendous ovation and his eloquence charmed the large gathering. While stationed at St. Peter's, this city, Fr. Grant was noted for the eloquence of his sermons, and his touching eulogy on the death of Pope Leo is still remembered for its dignified impressiveness. Rev. Fr. Grant is a cousin of Rt. Rev. Philip Garrigan, D. D., Bishop of Sioux City, Ia.

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JACK BINNS TO MARRY

WIRELESS OPERATOR, HERO OF THE STEAMER REPUBLIC, TO MARRY MISS ALICE MacNIFF

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Jack Binns, wireless operator, hero of the lost steamer Republic, is to be married in June.

Announcement of the fact was made today. His fiance is Miss Alice A. MacNiff of Brooklyn, whom he met when he was ticking dots and dashes on the Adriatic.

Jack has quit the sea and is now a ship news reporter here.

BASKETBALL GAME

Another big basketball game will be played at the Y. M. C. I. hall, Tuesday night, when the Y. M. C. I. first team meets the strong Military Athletic association team of Lawrence. The Lawrence aggregation is said to be one of the strongest in the state. A week ago, when the Belvidere team went to Lawrence, the game ended in the second period, 16 to 14 in favor of the Lawrence team, a dispute having taken place in which it is said the spectators took part. However, all difficulties have been patched up, and the two teams have arranged to play two more games, the first of which will be played in the Y. M. C. I. hall, tomorrow night.

C. F. Keyes will hold his next furniture sale Thursday, February 12th. See this paper later for list of goods.

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BASEMENT

100th ANNIVERSARY OF BIRTH OF SAMUEL J. TILDEN TODAY

1 WILLIAM F. McCOMBS. 2 SAMUEL J. TILDEN

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 29.—In various sections throughout the country the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Samuel J. Tilden was celebrated today. This noted statesman, who was governor of New York and candidate for the presidency against Rutherford B. Hayes, was the leading democrat of his day. William F. McCombs, chairman of the democratic national committee, and Mayor J. P. Mitchel were the chief speakers at the ceremonies at New York city, and here at Albany fitting observance was made.

LOCAL DRUGGISTS

At Meeting of Mass. Pharmaceutical Association in Worcester

Several Lowell druggists left this city yesterday or today for Worcester where they will attend the midwinter meeting of the Massachusetts State Pharmaceutical association which is to be held in the Bay State hotel. The session was called to order at 10 o'clock this forenoon by Frank Campbell of this city, president of the state association, and considerable business of an important nature was transacted.

Mr. Campbell and Azro M. Dows arrived in Worcester yesterday and conferred with members of the legislative committee of which the latter is a member. Among those who went today are: James J. Brown, Justin Dows, George Willson, Fred Burtt, Dr. C. O. Wilson, Samuel McCord, C. F. George, Rep. Fred Lewis, Ray Webster, Frank P. Moody, Frank C. Goodale and others.

The meeting today was featured by a discussion of the report of the legislative committee and many expressed their opinion as to the action that should be taken on legislation pending during the coming session of our state legislature. Among the topics taken up were: "Drug Clerks' Hours of Labor," "The Sixth Class License" and "New Registration of Stores Bill."

President Campbell Talks

Frank J. Campbell, president of the state branch of druggists, in conversation with a Sun reporter before leaving for the convention said that he thought the meeting of druggists this year would be one of the most interesting ever held. "There are some fifty or sixty bills in the legislature," said Mr. Campbell, "that effect directly or indirectly the interests of the association, and it is with a view to ascertain which of the bills should be opposed or favored that the meeting is held. We meet in order to separate the chaff from the wheat so that we enter in these things with much enthusiasm. The bills embrace every phase of the work of druggists, some relative to the hours of labor; others on the sale of liquor in drug stores; a bill compelling the employment of a registered pharmacist in public institutions, bills relative to the sale of ice cream, and others of more or less interest. Since assuming the office of president of the Massachusetts association I have found the duties of the office most congenial and the assistance given me by local members has aided greatly."

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N. Y. POLITICS

Pres. Wilson Discusses Condition With Gov. Glynn and McCombs

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—How the various elements in the New York state democracy are to be assembled into an organization with one leadership is a problem before President Wilson, Governor Glynn of New York and William McCombs, the democratic national chairman in a conference at the White House today. The president of late has been giving deep consideration to the fall campaign when he realizes the democratic administration will to some extent be before the country for approval or disapproval in the elections for members of the house of representatives and the United States senate.

Chairman McCombs has talked over the national situation in detail with the president, but the most important admittedly is the status of the Empire state democracy.

It has not yet been decided what part the president himself will take in the actual campaign. Some of his close friends think he will make several speeches on national questions, asking the people to keep both branches of congress in the democratic ranks. The president is devoting much of his time to a study of the various state situations but in political circles today interest was centered most in how the problem would be worked out in New York where party demoralization followed the Sulzer impeachment proceedings and the defeat in the New York city election last November by the fusion movement against the Tammany organization.

One of the subjects before the White House conference today between President Wilson and Governor Glynn of New York was the selection of William Church Osborne for democratic state chairman. He is a brother-in-law of Cleveland H. Dodge, Princeton '79, a very old friend of President Wilson.

The choice is acceptable to the president and the work of reorganization is expected to be started with Mr. Osborne's election.

There has been some talk of the possible candidacy of Mr. McCombs for the senate but he is non committal today on the subject.

EARL OF DERBY QUITS

WON'T SELL ESTATE BARON DE FOREST FOR $7,500,000 AFTER MAKING OFFER

LONDON, Feb. 9.—The Earl of Derby has declined to sell to Baron De Forest his Bootle estate, in the suburbs of Liverpool, on the ground that the Baron had wilfully misrepresented the terms of his offer.

Recently, in a contribution to the land inquiry committee's report, Baron De Forest cited the Bootle estate as a striking example of unearned increment. The property, which was purchased in 1724 for $36,000, he estimated to be now valued at between $15,000,000 and $20,000,000.

Lord Derby declared that the estimates were grossly excessive, and said he would sell the estate to Baron De Forest for $7,500,000. The baron hastened to accept the offer.

F. J. TIMMONS' FUNERAL

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT SERVICES HELD THIS MORNING—PROFUSION OF FLOWERS

The funeral of the late Frederick J. Timmons, a prominent young business man of Lowell, took place this morning at 9.30 o'clock from his home, 16 Dover street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including a number from out of town; also the following delegation from the local lodge of Elks, of which deceased was an esteemed member: William W. Murphy, John J. Dawson, Joseph F. Burns, Michael J. Markham, Edward R. Morris, Terence Leonard, Edward F. Brady and Edward T. Cushing. The cortege proceeded to St. Margaret's church where at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was sung by the pastor, Rev. C. J. Galligan, assisted by Rev. W. George Mullin as deacon and Rev. Henry Reardon as subdeacon. The choir rendered the Gregorian mass.

There was a wealth of beautiful floral tributes, including offerings from the wife of the deceased, the parents, Arthur J. Cummiskey, Patrick Keyes, Harvard Brewing Co., employes at the store, Miss Maud MacPherson, Mr. and Mrs. William P. McCarthy, Mrs. Harriet Marsh and Miss Ruth Marsh of Nashua, N. H., friends at the Richardson hotel, Hueter Brewing Co., Mr. and Mrs. D. J. MacDougall, Miss Etta M. Callahan, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Griffin of Lexington, Mass., Lowell Lodge of Elks, the Boyle family, Terence Leonard, John J. Lee, Michael J. Markham and Joseph F. Burns, Mrs. Ida Farrington, Miss M. E. Jean of Boston, William H. Harrigan and Miss Harrigan, C. E. Goulding and W. E. Bartlett, Edmund T. Simpson, D. W. MacKenzie, Louis Ducharme, Charles Armstrong, Joseph H. Boyle, Mrs. M. C. Timmons, Bernadette Galarneau, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnston, Miss Margaret Courtney, William F. Foye and John J. Foye, Edward Morris, M. F. Gookin Co., Mrs. Owen J. Carney, Miss M. K. Crawford, John J. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur LaFlamme, Thomas Bagley, May Mulvey of Lexington, Mass., Mrs. John T. Williamson, Richard A. Griffiths, Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Berard, L. T. Buchard, J. W. Fillio of Lexington, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. John Slattery, and friends on the Middlesex and Boston street railway, Lexington.

The bearers were Frank Raymond, Patrick Keyes, William P. McCarthy, A. G. Stiles, Hon. James E. O'Donnell, Arthur J. Cummiskey, Joseph Boyle and Walter Bartlett.

At the grave Rev. Fr. Galligan read the prayers, and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. The arrangements were in charge of Mr. John J. Sullivan, and the burial was under the direction of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

GIRLS CONFESS THEFT

TWO OF MANCHESTER, N. H., HAD BEEN CHARGED WITH LARCENY OF THREE GOLD RINGS

MANCHESTER, N. H., Feb. 9.—Eva Laflamme, 14, of 455 Cartier street, and Ziller Labrine, 15, of 29 Martin lane, were arrested last night charged with larceny of three gold rings from the home of Napoleon Rosseau, 455 Cartier street. The girls confessed to the theft and gave up the rings.

TRAIN IS STORMBOUND

REP. HOWELL OF UTAH, EN ROUTE TO CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION OF STRIKE, STRANDED

HANCOCK, Mich., Feb. 9.—The train bearing Representative Howell of Utah, the one necessary to make a quorum in the congressional investigation, was reported storm bound in the lower peninsula today and prospects for a meeting dwindled as the day advanced.

Chairman Taylor said that it was unlikely that hearings would begin before tomorrow.

NAVAL TUG MISSING

REPEATED WIRELESS CALLS BRING NO NEWS OF POTOMAC LOST IN ICE PACKS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Repeated wireless calls have brought no news of the naval tug Potomac, lost somewhere in the ice packs of the Bay of Islands, where she went to the rescue of two imprisoned fishing schooners, and today the navy department asked the authorities at Sidney to locate the vessel.

With a crew of 36 the Potomac has not been heard from since Thursday. While officials think it unusual that she has not reported she is a stout vessel and the navy department is not yet entertaining fears for her safety. They believe the ice which imprisoned the fishermen is keeping the Potomac from port.

Best music, Prescott, tonight.

TO FIND MISSING GIRL

MAN TO TAKE MOTHER OF ARLIN GIRL TO SUPPOSED HIDING PLACE

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—William E. English, secretary of the Hospital Reform association, has promised to make good his statement that he knows the whereabouts of Miss Eleanor Arlin, the missing Brookline stenographer.

From Colebrook, N. H., today, will come Mrs. Jane Arlin, the mother of the girl whose whereabouts has baffled police, private detectives and boy scout searchers for nearly a month.

Mr. English has promised to reveal the whereabouts of the girl, whom he insists he has seen and knows to be Miss Arlin. The arrangements for the end of the almost country-wide search for the girl were completed yesterday.

To Miss Marion K. Brown, an intimate friend of Miss Arlin, English yesterday declared he knew Miss Arlin to be confined in a sanitarium within 10 miles of Boston.

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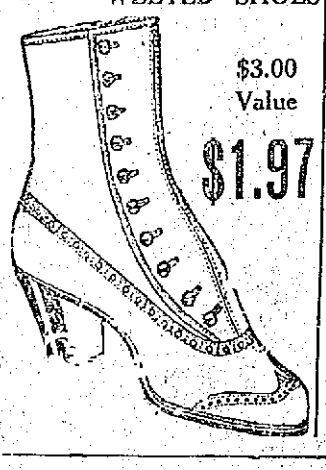

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DEATHS

TANCRED—The many friends of Miss Katherine A. Tancred, the well known milliner, will be grieved to learn of her death, which occurred yesterday morning at her home, 23 Walker street, after a brief illness. She was a devout attendant of St. Patrick's church. She leaves one sister, Miss Margaret T. Tancred, and an aunt, Miss Margaret Monahan.

EVANS—Mrs. Lucy E. Evans, aged 55 years, wife of James Evans, died yesterday at her home, 569 Lawrence street. She leaves besides her husband, two brothers, Frank Langley of Boston and John Langley of Candia, N. H.

LEARNED—Henry J. Learned died Saturday afternoon at his home in Wamesit, aged 71 years. He leaves, besides his wife, Mary M. Learned, three brothers, Wilbur F. and Waldo A. of Watertown, Mass., and Charles A. of Meriden, Conn. Mr. Learned was connected with the old firm of A. R. Gray stationers and account book manufacturers in State street, Boston, and later with Hooper, Lewis & Co., in Federal street.

ELEANOR—Sister M. Eleanor of the Franciscan order and daughter of Jas. and Nellie Brennan Healey, died yesterday morning at St. Elizabeth's hospital, Boston, aged 21 years. Burial in Allegheny, N. Y.

ROCHE—Hannah Roche died yesterday morning at the home of her parents, William J. and Catherine Roche, 637 Lakeview avenue, aged 1 year and 6 months.

MARTIN—Bernard C. Martin died on Saturday evening at his home, 161 Pleasant street, after a long illness, aged 34 years. He leaves a mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Martin; three brothers, John, Fred and Lawrence, and two sisters, Miss Elizabeth Martin of Lowell and Mrs. McSally of Providence, R. I.

McINNES—James McInness died yesterday at 59 Milton street, Lawrence, aged 57 years. He was an overseer in the Lower Pacific mills, and formerly resided in this city.

McMANUS—James R. McManus, aged four months, child of James and Mary T. McManus, died today at his home, 48 Whipple street.

DOHERTY—Mr. Edward Doherty, a resident of Boston, died Saturday morning at the State Infirmary, aged 63 years. He is survived by one brother, Patrick. His remains were removed to the undertaking rooms of James W. McKenna and were taken to Boston Sunday for burial in Holy Cross cemetery, Malden. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

Keedon Club at Asso., Thurs., Miner's.

FUNERALS

FISHER—The funeral services of Miss Margaret J. Fisher took place from the home of her aunt, Mrs. Jane Hanifin, 16 Riverside avenue, Saturday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Appleton Grannis, pastor of St. Anne's Episcopal church. The bearers were Messrs. Matthew Bailey, Frank Rourke, Dennis Coleman and Joseph McManimon. Among the flowers were pieces from the following: Mrs. Hanifin, Miss Belle Bailey and Mrs. Quinlan, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Morse, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Wier, Miss Nellie Boul, Miss M. Donovan, Mrs. D. Cuddell and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rourke and family, Miss Belle Farr, Miss Dame and Miss Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Knowles and Frances. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery where the burial service was read by Rev. Mr. Grannis. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

HAMILTON—The funeral of Silas Hamilton took place Saturday at the Chelmsford Street Free Baptist church. The services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. Ernest T. Trilles. The bearers were Messrs. A. J. Boles, E. L. Gray, F. S. Mooney and J. E. Thorne. The body was taken to Manchester, N. H., for burial in the family lot in the Valley cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

PRATT—The funeral of Mr. Marshall Pratt took place Saturday afternoon from the Hadley Street Baptist church, Middlesex Village. Services were conducted by Rev. William McAlpine, pastor of the church. The bearers were Messrs. O. M. Pratt, E. C. Pratt, W. P. Pratt and C. E. Dean. Burial was in the family lot in the Riverside cemetery, North Chelmsford, where the burial service was read by Mr. McAlpine. The local arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

HORTON—The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Horton took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. Martha A. Taylor, 14 Nichols street. The services were conducted by Rev. Clarence R. Skinner, pastor of the Grace Universalist church. The burial will take place in the family lot in the cemetery at Athol, Mass. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

ROCHE—The funeral of Hannah Roche took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and, owing to the cause of death, cerebral spinal meningitis, was private. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

MEADE—The funeral of Mrs. Ann Meade took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the funeral chapel of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy on Market street, and was largely attended. Services were conducted at the chapel by Rev. Thomas A. Walsh of Collinsville. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. The bearers were Timothy Fitzgerald, Albert Marshall, David Sonesson, Michael Hanley, James Keating and John Cashman. There were many floral tributes placed upon the grave. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

Latest song hits, Prescott, tonight

A NATIONAL BALLAD SEARCH

A national search for old ballads has been inaugurated by the United States bureau of education. Convinced that many of the English and Scottish popular ballads of olden times still survive in the United States, and that immediate steps are necessary to rescue them from oblivion, the bureau has commissioned Prof. C. Alphonso Smith of the University of Virginia, a prominent folk-lore investigator, to institute a nation-wide search for versions of these old ballads that once helped to mold the character of the men and women who made up the larger part of the colonial population of this country.

"If our American versions are not collected immediately they can never be collected at all," Prof. Smith asserts. "Many influences are tending to obliterate them. Catchy but empty songs not worthy of comparison with them, the decadence of communal singing, the growing diversity of interests, the appeal to what is divisive and separative in our national life, the presence of the artificial and self-conscious in modern writing are depriving our homes and school rooms of a kind of literature which, for community of feeling, for vigor of narrative for vividness of portraiture, and for utter simplicity of style and content, is not surpassed in the whole history of English or American song."

A list of 305 of the ballads, all that are known to exist, has been distributed to teachers and others by the bureau of education. Those who receive the lists are asked to indicate whether they or their friends know any of the ballads. The plan is to start a ballad collection for each state, so that state folk-lore societies may be encouraged to take up the work and preserve a body of valuable popular literature that threatens to become extinct.

Among the ballads for which survivals are sought are: Robin Hood, the Beggar-Laddie, Bonny Barbara Allan, the Crafty Farmer, Durham Field, the Earl of Mar's Daughter, Fair Annie, Johnnie Armstrong's Last Goodnight, Ladie Isabel and the Elf Knight, Child Maurice, the Lass of Rock Royal, the Mermaid, Rob Roy, the Three Ravens, Trooper and Maid, and the Wife of Usher's Well.

ADULTERATION OF SEEDS.

Of vital concern to the success of farming is the matter of pure seeds, and it is quite evident from the work that has been done in examining samples that some sort of inspection is necessary. Of 126 officially examined samples, one-fifth were below the standard set by law. The standard in this case was by no means high, since it merely required that the presence in agricultural seeds of more than 3 percent of foul or foreign seeds must be plainly indicated on the label of the package.

Of the ordinary weed seeds found in the inspection, 3 percent, by count would involve the sowing of 125,000 weed seeds in the 20 pounds of alfalfa seed used on an acre, or three weeds for every square foot of land. Of 611 samples of alfalfa seed examined, 13 contained sand, crushed stone, broken seed, yellow trefoil or similar undesirable material in quantities beyond what would be present naturally. Of 14 samples of hairy vetch examined, 12 contained seeds of other vetches as an adulterant, notably Spring vetch, which cannot replace the Winter vetch as a cover crop.

For seeds in general, adulteration is becoming less common. Among the seeds in which the number of poor samples was low were timothy, redtop, white clover and Kentucky blue grass, while red clover, alsike clover and hairy vetch showed considerably larger percentages of low-grade samples. Care should be exercised in the purchase of any of these seeds.

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A PATRIOTIC MOVE

The action of the house in eliminating an amendment to the immigration bill now before congress, which would have excluded Mongolians, Negroes and Malays not protected by treaty or passport agreement, from entering this country, has saved the administration much confusion and saved the country the solution of a muddle that would have undoubtedly resulted in serious misunderstandings with foreign nations. The amendment was offered by representatives from the Pacific coast and was aimed especially at the exclusion of the Japanese, for the fires kindled over a year ago are still smouldering. It does not need a restriction of this nature to kindle strong animosity against things American in the minds of the subjects of the Mikado, for anti-American feeling is quite common in Japan; it has been shown conclusively recently in the sympathy which has been more or less officially expressed there for the Mexican dictator, Huerta.

The amendment was phrased in such a way as to sound fairly reasonable, but it had its sting nevertheless. So plausible did it seem that it once passed the house. Some of the astute leaders, however, immediately foresaw that the consequences might be serious, and they brought pressure to bear on influential legislators, with the result that the vote of acceptance was rescinded next day by the emphatic vote of 203 to 54. The former vote which allowed the amendment to pass was 111 to 90. This demonstrates that the seriousness of the question became speedily apparent. Republican Leader Mann had a great share in the revision of the action of the house, for at a critical time he rose and made a fine speech, putting patriotism above party, and prevailing on his colleagues to take back an amendment that could only result in injury to the relations of this country with other nations. "I have been long enough in this house," said Mr. Mann, "to know when to place country above party. . . . I am not prepared to invite war with Japan or any other country."

It is well indeed that in matters affecting our foreign relations, party considerations should be secondary to those of a patriotism wide enough to include all parties. In dealing with international affairs, America has been placed in many delicate positions of late, and in the solution of the problems that confront him, the president should get the cordial support of the republican senators and congressmen as well as of the democrats. Foreign affairs are not strictly speaking party affairs as the president shows by his desire to have the republicans of the senate committee on foreign relations present at all important deliberations.

It would also be well did the rest of the country frown on the attempts of California to make laws of national discrimination which would plunge the government into difficulties and which might plunge the country into war. The Californian-Japanese problem is, of course, local, and may be understood fully by those in that section, but any exclusion clause seems too grave to be considered a local matter merely. To New England people the Californian attitude strongly suggests undue prejudice, and our people will be glad that the amendment to exclude Asiatics failed—thanks in great measure to the finely expressed patriotism of Republican Leader Mann.

SYLVIA AND CHRISTABEL

Sylvia and Christabel Pankhurst, those English ladies of the sweetly feminine names and sourly Amazonian tendencies, have decided to take opposite sides on the movement originated by their energetic mother, and accordingly there is a rift within the ranks of the militant suffragettes that time only promises to widen. Miss Christabel has been living abroad in the Parisian atmosphere, owing to the unchivalrous laws which aim at putting her in prison for destroying property and inciting to riot, and away from the source of the trouble, she has become a little less militant in her attitude towards the suffrage question. She is supported by many of the older members who have become either mentally or physically weary of the struggle, or who perhaps realize that the militant antics of the frenzied women have hurt the cause almost irreparably.

But sweet Miss Sylvia will not quiet down so easily—no siree. She has organized a peoples' army in the East Side of London and is making preparations which promise to set her on the pedestal of Joan of Arc. Having talked war and revolution so long, she cannot rest satisfied until she has battered down the turrets of Windsor castle or delapidated the tower of London. Mrs. Pankhurst has not expressed herself yet on the merits of the views of the sisters, but it is supposed in England that she leans to Christabel. There is more than a suspicion among the women so easily led into all manner of excesses that there was a method in Mrs. Pankhurst's madness, and those who looked over the financial stipulations of her American trip suspect so too. Mrs. Pankhurst is an unusually intelligent woman, and people of ordinary intelligence in England have long seen that militancy has only retarded the cause. Why then did she persist in keeping up the disgraceful spectacle so long? We may get the answer when the Misses Sylvia and Christabel get mad and talk back to each other—as they may be reasonably expected to do—for militancy has left them women at heart.

GREEN HILLS FAR AWAY

We are all familiar with the man who is very anxious to work but who cannot seem to find anything to do. In fact he is so discouraged about the local outlook that he has long ago given up the search for work, and roams round listlessly keeping busy people idle and boring the public generally with tales of the city's lack of opportunity, and the chances that are to be found elsewhere in abundance. "If I only had the coin," he says, "I'd beat it out of here pretty quick." It is extremely cruel in disillusionize this type of estimable being, but nevertheless it is only right to tell him that if he cannot find work in his home town the chances are that he cannot find it anywhere else. Recently the Ford company of Detroit made some remarkable concessions to its workers and the flood of unemployed that swept into the city has tied up the labor markets and made the outlook for the city serious. Detroit is a progressive and booming city but there is a limit to its powers of absorption. Similar reports come from San Francisco, where thousands swarmed during the past year thinking to find work owing to the coming Panama-Pacific exposition. Now the unemployed in California are numbered not by thousands but by hundreds of thousands. Hills are green far away, but the best way to keep them green is to look at them from a distance. The man who is out of work and really desirous of finding it cannot do better than search diligently in his home town. You cannot get that good job in California because the other fellow went out and got it five years ago and there have been a thousand after it since.

COTTON FOR AFRICA

Whether the African climate is changing or whether civilization is introducing clothing among the best black people of the dark continent, it seems that the natives are taking kindly to cotton, and it also seems from the report of the government expert who is here in connection with the exhibition of cotton samples at the rooms of the board of trade that American manufacturers are not getting a proportionate share of the business which promises to become enormous. There are immense opportunities for American business expansion in many other foreign parts such as China, Japan, the Philippines, and the various countries of Latin America after the opening of the Panama canal. Some of the federal departments keep an eye to foreign business, but it might pay the representatives of American manufacture to keep in touch with the several consuls in foreign parts and to send representatives into the countries where there is supposed to be a good opening for American enterprise.

PUBLIC MARKET FOR HARTFORD

Hartford, Conn., seems to be in the same position as Lowell with regard to the agitation for a public market. A councilmanic committee has had the matter in hand and will recommend that the question be submitted to the popular vote at the next city election. A public hearing was held in that city recently at which the local arguments were brought out before a small attendance. It seemed to be the general opinion that a public market would do much to reduce the cost of living were it favored by the public. The profits of the middleman would be cut down and the entire cost of delivery would be offset. It has been the experience of many places, however, that the public market fails in some cases because the people it is meant to benefit refuse or neglect to avail themselves of it. Theoretically it is an undoubted factor in reducing the cost of living, but in its practical aspect a campaign of education is needed to stir up the public to its advantages. If public markets fail anywhere, the fault is on the people themselves.

A STEAMSHIP "WAR"

Owing to differences between two of the German steamship lines, and the championing of one of them by the English lines, there has been a serious misunderstanding resulting in keen competition and cut rates. When such has occurred in the past, the tourist rates went surprisingly low, and it seems safe to augur the same results from the present misunderstanding. There has also been some changing and readjustment of rates following changes of route among the British lines, so that on the whole, tourist rates will probably be usually low for the coming season. All of the steamship lines are capitalized for many millions, and they can afford to keep up a rate war for many months. Such a war is one that the ordinary tourist will cordially welcome.

Seen and Heard

To the average woman, Oriental luxury means divans, and rugs, and costly hangings, but she doesn't know about the dirt and fleas.

If a small boy is caught by his father dragging a stick along the pickets of his own front fence, he sometimes learns swiftly that it doesn't always pay to advertise.

One of the men who is fighting hardest against the Pillsbury site for the tuberculosis hospital looks as if he might soon be an inmate of such an institution.

One luxury that the ordinary woman may enjoy, but of which the proud queen is deprived, is that of going out into the kitchen on a rainy afternoon and spending a glad hour or so talking gossip with the hired girl.

When a man takes it for granted that you will always do anything he wants, you cannot always take it for granted that he will do anything you ask him to.

Beware of the man who makes it a rule to drop ten coppers instead of a dime into the collection plate at church, because they make more noise.

Frequently a man who thinks he is a first-class story-teller is looked on by others only as a bore.

They say that riches bring discontent, and perhaps they do, when you don't have them.

Another advantage connected with those Turkish-towel hats that the girls were wearing last summer was that some of them may be doing useful work as wash cloths now.

For a farmer to be successful when he goes to raising pork, the pen has to be mightier than the pig.

The old-fashioned housekeeper used to keep a stock pot for soup standing on the back part of the kitchen range. The modern housekeeper keeps a few ten-cent cans stacked up in the pantry.

The stingy man's favorite aphorism is that a man ought to be just before he is generous.

Just how mad is a wet hen, anyway?

Even the man who always pays his bills with a check doesn't always pay his bills.

Miss Samantha, the presiding genius of the kitchen, was relating her experience with an icy pavement. "Ah had an awful fall," she told her friend. "Comin' from church Ah fell on de consecrated sidewalk, an' Ah was two hours unconscientious afteh dey tuk me home."

Why sigh for wealth? The richest man in the country has to pay the biggest income tax.

Did it ever occur to you that it must be tantalizing to be the player of one of the big bull fiddles in the opera orchestra and have to stand underneath the edge of the stage, with your back against the wall, all through the performance, and never see the show?

Just when does the prosperous man get beyond getting rich, and start in being wealthy?

Even if it is true that the typical Englishman is slow to see a joke, it isn't because the London fog eventually gets into his intellect.

The man who always stops to think before he speaks doesn't always say the right thing, even then.

The mere city person is sometimes surprised to learn that, although it is called buttermilk, it hasn't any butter in it.

"I'll tell you a funny one that's absolutely true," said Bunny Brewer, who has heeded the back-to-the-soil movement and recently taken up a homestead on an abandoned looking farm. "Last fall, along about hog-killing time, we had some folks from the city out here and a likely lookin' gal came out to see how I started the day's chores.

"'We'll be awful busy today, lady,' says I.

"'What are you going to do?' says she.

"'We're going to kill a cow.'

"'What! a whole cow at once?'

"What do you think of that? Mebbe she thought we were going to butcher a tenderloin steak."

Some time ago it was desired to get Mike a position as crossing tender on the railroad and several of his friends went to the superintendent for that purpose.

"I would like to give Mike a job," responded the superintendent to whom he was well known, "but I am afraid that he won't do."

"Won't do!" exclaimed the delegation in surprise. "Why, he is one of the most careful and trustworthy men in the whole state."

"I know that," smiled the superintendent, "but I doubt if he would be able to wave a red flag while there was a green one handy."

This contribution is very faulty in spots, but we give it as it was postcarded to us. We are fond of the contributor.

"In a sweet Ohio village, whose chief industry is tillage, I sought a barber shop to get my hair cut. I didn't find the hair man, but a note tacked on the chair ran: 'Lam the stovepipe if you want me. Charley Faircut.' So I hit the pipe and waited till a girl came in, who stated 'Say, paw he's busy now out in the barnyard. He's a-woking like a fool, clippin' ol' Hank Ramsey's mule. You're the next one; but I'll bet that you'll get darn tired.' Buck Danks."

One day Smith and Jones were looking at a picture and admiring its wonderful realism.

"It makes me think of an artist that I once heard of," reflectively remarked Smith. "It is said that he painted cobwebs on the ceiling so truthfully that the servant girl wore herself into an attack of nervous prostration trying to sweep them down."

"He did?" responded Jones, as his face broke into a smile.

"Yes," declared the other, with a hurt expression. "You act as if you doubt it."

"Well," returned Jones, "there may have been such an artist, but there was never such a servant girl."

THE GOURMET'S LOVE SONG

As is the mint sauce to the lamb,
As is the fried egg to the ham,
As is the 'possum to the yam,
Are you to me!
Like pork without the apple sauce,
Like hot cross buns without the cross,
Without you love, a total loss
My life would be!

Like apple pie without the cheese,
Or juicy lamb without the peas
Or lemon ice that would not freeze,
Would be my life.
You are the sirup to my cakes,
You are the mushroom to my steaks,
And so I beg for both our sakes,
O, be my wife!

I love you with my heart and soul,
More than young squab en casserole,
More than French dressing in the bowl
O, do be mine!
What? No? My future thus you spoil!
My salad you deprive of oil!
Farewell! But still the pot will boil!
I go to—dine!

EDITORIAL COMMENT

PARTY ENROLLMENT

Brockton Times: The legislature has before it several bills providing abolition of party enrollment. Members of the three parties are interested, and there is no danger the subject will be slighted. Voters are cautioned, however, to watch the progress of debate carefully. This state's experience with the primary makes the question vitally important.

IRREGULAR WORK

Lynn News: If there is any problem which looks hard and is hard to a sober and industrious man, it is that of irregular employment. Especially is the case hard if the man has a family to support, and if so many other men are in the same situation as himself that there are many applicants for every temporary job that might be available. We heard recently of a man who had averaged just two days' work a week for 11 weeks. And this man had at the time unusual calls for money in connection with sickness in his family. What is a self-respecting man to do under such circumstances?

MODERN DRAMA

Fall River Globe: Ben Greet, the Shakespearian actor, in a speech before the Saimagundi club in New York, pronounced "Damaged Goods" to be "a ridiculous and badly written play." It probably reminded him, however, of his favorite Shakespeare, it is so different. But then, in those progressive days of the social uplift and of moral reform as an applied science the Bard of Avon is a back number, of course, and he wouldn't probably be able to earn his salt as a playright in competition with the modern school of artists in that line.

AGAIN THE FINE

Salem News: The News would lay no claim to credit for having made a good guess on the disposition of the smuggling charge of which the wealthy Littaeuer brothers of Gloversville, N. Y., were convicted. In short, we allowed that they would escape with a fine. Unfortunately, it is too often the way with federal courts that while smuggling among poor people is often visited with prison sentences, millionaire offenders in this quarter escape with a fine. And what is a fine of a thousand dollars, or a few thousand dollars, to a rich smuggler whose income figures around $500 or $1000 a day?

NEW AND OLD

Woonsocket Call: Mayor Curey is laying waste among ex-Mayor Fitzgerald's appointees. The new mayor doesn't like the old mayor and he is unable to conceal his sentiments, or else is not trying to.

IN PERU

Burlington Free Press: And now Peru has blown out in revolution. Whether the proximity of the great American colonel had anything to do with the causes of the outbreak is not clear. At any rate the job was done with dispatch and with so little of the law's delay that the recall of a president was accomplished within 24 hours.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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FOUND DEAD IN BED

ON 13TH ANNIVERSARY OF WEDDING TO FIRST HUSBAND, WOMAN ENDS LIFE TO REJOIN HIM

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—On the 13th anniversary of her wedding to her first husband, Mrs. Margaret E. Hollingsworth, at her home at 9 Linwood square, Roxbury, last night went deliberately to join him in death. She committed suicide by taking cyanide of potassium after having carefully staged for striking effect the final scene of her life's drama.

When her body was found, the picture of her first husband, Fred Culverwell, was clasped to her heart. Across its face she had written in pencil her farewell message: "I am going to join the one man I love in the world beyond the grave."

Seemingly happy in her married life with her second husband, Fred Hollingsworth, a prosperous travelling salesman, the fact of the suicide came as a staggering blow to him and to her family.

It also revealed for the first time another strange bit of the romantic life of the young woman, for she was only 33. On the night that Fred Culverwell died 13 years ago her first thought was to go with him at once. Locking herself in her room she turned on the gas. When relatives burst open the door she was found lying on the bed unconscious and was only revived with great difficulty.

After making her final preparations for death, Mrs. Hollingsworth reclined in bed and had her step-daughter, Ina Culverwell, a daughter of her first husband by a former marriage, bring her a cup of tea. This she drank, and as the girl waited to remove the cup, she noticed a collection of phials on a stand beside the bed.

Not long after another step-daughter, Edna Culverwell, went in to see if her mother was comfortable for the night and found her dead.

PREVENTS FIRE PANIC

MINISTER QUIETED HIS CONGREGATION WHEN BLAZE BROKE OUT IN HOUSE

The Rev. Norman MacQueen, pastor of the Union Square Presbyterian church, Somerville, quieted his congregation and prevented what might have been a panic when a fire broke out last night in the house at 19 Warren avenue, which adjoins the church.

The clanging of the bells on the fire apparatus and the tooting of the whistle on the engine as it turned into Warren avenue, where the church is located, served to unnerve some members of the congregation and three young women sprang to their feet and hurried out, when Mr. MacQueen called to them to keep their seats and be quiet, as the services were not finished.

Others in the congregation who were about to follow the three young women sat down again. The service was finished very shortly after.

The fire started in the cellar of the house and burned up through the second and third floors. Several lodgers were in the house at the time and were forced to make a hurried exit.

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BREAKS NECK IN FALL

NORTH GROVERDALE WOMAN THE FIFTH TO DIE IN FAMILY IN FIVE WEEKS

WEBSTER, Feb. 9.—Mrs. Marie Crotteau Martel fell downstairs at her home in North Groverdale yesterday, crushing her skull, breaking her neck and dying instantly.

An extraordinary fate has pursued the Crotteau family from the time that one brother, Henry, died here early in January. Recently Mrs. Martel and her brother, Joseph, who is foreman at the Groverdale company's factory, went to Granby, Que., where their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Crotteau, were sick and died shortly after they arrived.

They were waiting on the Granby station platform to return here after the funeral when a telegram was handed them telling that another brother, Euclid, was dying at St. John's. They had just got back here yesterday from his funeral.

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STEDMAN WAS MURDERED

Inquiry Into Death of New York Cotton Broker Slain at His Home in Connecticut

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—After a cursory examination of the incidents connected with the death of William A. Stedman, the New York cotton broker, who was found slain in his home in Greenwich, Conn., on Saturday, Dr. J. A. Clarke, medical examiner of Greenwich, became far from satisfied yesterday that Mr. Stedman died as a result of a self-inflicted wound.

Dr. Clarke telephoned to Coroner Phelan at Bridgeport late yesterday afternoon, detailing to him the facts of the case that had been gleaned and advising an inquest immediately. Coroner Phelan is expected to act today.

One of the strangest phases of the case, is that Mr. Stedman's skull was first crushed in with a hatchet. The blow was inflicted on the top of his head toward the back, and the hammer head was used instead of the blade.

The bone of the skull was splintered and numerous pieces were driven into the brain. Then at the hospital it was found that an open silver-handled penknife had been driven far into the wound.

Suffered Breakdown Recently

The tragedy has loomed up not only as one of the strangest the authorities of Fairfield county have ever been confronted with, but the wealthy residents of Greenwich have been shocked beyond measure. They welcomed Mr. Stedman among them only three weeks ago.

Mr. Stedman was a member of an old Newport, R. I., family, and junior partner in the cotton brokerage firm of Stephen M. Weld & Co. of No. 52 Beaver street. He was forty-four years old. With his second wife and a ten-year-old son by his first wife, he lived for some time in Garden City, L. I.

From what little could be ascertained from the members of the Stedman household yesterday, Mr. Stedman seemed to improve in health after moving to Greenwich. He even expressed his intention of returning to his office today.

The facts Dr. Clarke established from brief talks with the members of the household were that shortly before 11 o'clock Saturday morning Mr. Stedman, having dressed, went down into the cellar of the house to look at the gauges of the heater. The colored cook said he passed through the kitchen and remarked that he thought it was going to blow up cold and that he thought he could better regulate the heat.

She said that ten minutes later her husband, who acts as butler in the family, went down cellar to empty a waste paper basket. When he came back up stairs she asked him if Mr. Stedman was fixing the heater and he replied that he had not seen Mr. Stedman in the cellar.

The cook told her husband that Mr. Stedman must have been down there and on account of his ill health she said she sent her husband back to see if Mr. Stedman was all right. The butler returned to the cellar and in about a minute rushed back up the stairs shouting that Mr. Stedman was dead.

A trained nurse who had been attending Mrs. Stedman was summoned from her room on the second floor of the house, and she sent the butler for Dr. A. W. Kline, who lives next door. Mrs. Stedman also has been ill.

Counts on Operating Table

As Dr. Clark described the finding of Mr. Stedman, he lay in a large inclosure in the cellar which was used for coal. There was an old fashioned sleigh in one corner and a heap of coal in another. He lay in the middle of the inclosure, with the hatchet under his back.

Dr. Kline found that he was still alive and he was rushed to the Greenwich hospital, where he was immediately prepared for an operation. Dr. W. L. Griswold, the head surgeon of the hospital, began to operate. Up to this time Mr. Stedman had not said a word.

Broderick's, Prescott, tonight.

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MISS ETTA MALOREY, DRESSMAKER, 734 School st.

POLICE STOP SUFFRAGIST

SAID HER SPEECH WAS TOO MUCH LIKE VAUDEVILLE—NEW JERSEY CENSOR RIGHT ON HIS JOB

MONTCLAIR, N. J., Feb. 9.—Montclair suffragists held their first public Sunday meeting yesterday afternoon in the Montclair theatre. One of the speakers, Miss Agnes Best of New York, came under the censor's ban and was stopped before she had concluded her speech.

When the local suffragists first asked for a permit to hold a public meeting on Sunday, members of the town council objected on the ground that such a meeting would be political and would be a precedent for future political meetings. The suffragists explained that the purpose of the meeting was educational; that they were not campaigning or laying down campaign issues. They wanted to discuss the application of the equal suffrage movement to the cause of the laboring women. With this understanding the permit was granted and it was arranged that Arthur G. Wilson, chairman of the police committee of the town council, should be present to see that everything was all right.

The speakers were Miss Margaret Hinchey and Miss Best. Nothing happened during Miss Hinchey's speech, but while Miss Best was talking Mrs. Arthur Hunter, president of the association, stepped forward, tapped Miss Best on the arm and whispered something in her ear.

Miss Best promptly sat down and the meeting went on as if nothing had happened. Miss Best had been giving a series of anecdotes, dealing mostly with the East side of Manhattan. Most of these related to personal experiences and in narrating them she frequently found occasion to imitate the enunciation of the people of whom she spoke.

After the meeting was all over Mr. Wilson explained the reason for the sudden stopping of Miss Best's speech. He said he thought her lecture "savored too much of vaudeville," and that it was outside the bounds of an educational discussion and not in full accord with the statements made when the permit for the meeting was obtained. So he wrote a note objecting to Miss Best's lecture and sent it to Mrs. Hunter, who stopped Miss Best.

Prize waltz, Lincoln's birthday, Asso.

LOWELL MEN ATTENDED

BIG INITIATION OF MYSTIC NOBLES OF GRANADA AT PROVIDENCE, R. I.

A big delegation of Mystic Nobles of Granada of Lowell went to Providence yesterday to witness the initiation of over 200 members into the order, the ceremonies being carried out in a brilliant manner. The Massachusetts men numbering over 500, left Boston at 12.45 on a special train of eight cars. At Providence they were met by the Rhode Island Nobles, 800 strong and marched to Infantry hall, where the initiation was carried out. Heading the line was Grand Monarch McCue of Massachusetts, George M. Harrigan of Lowell, Mayor J. Edward Barry of Cambridge, Mayor Gainer of Providence, former Mayor O'Donnell of Lowell, Fast State Deputy Wm. J. O'Brien of Massachusetts and District Deputy J. J. Flanagan of Providence. They made a splendid appearance in the parade.

The initiation was held at Infantry hall with more than 1200 persons present, and followed by a banquet. The postprandial exercises were speeches by the leaders of the order and an excellent entertainment.

Grand Monarch McCue with the degree team from Boston exemplified the degree. The team was Wm. F. Donovan, M. Joseph O'Donnell, William J. O'Brien, Mark B. Mulvoy, P. J. Radigan and William J. Radigan and Wm. F. Butler, assisted by the Moorish patrol of 25 men headed by James F. Sintlery.

After the banquet, Robert F. Jones, G. M., of Alcazaza caravan 2, introduced Wm. J. Keenan, instigator of mirth. Mayor J. Edward Barry of Cambridge, Mass., congratulated the local caravan on the showing made and declared that through him Mayor Curley of Boston tendered his regrets at not being able to be present. Mayor Barry was given a flattering reception.

Mayor Gainer of Providence, a member of the Alcazar caravap, also spoke. Ex-Mayor James E. O'Donnell of Lowell, Charles F. J. McCue, G. M., and former State Deputy William J. O'Brien of Massachusetts also addressed the gathering. State Deputy Edward J. Sweeney of New Jersey was present as were many prominent Knights of Columbus leaders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

The entertainment consisted of many songs by the Boston and Lowell serenaders, with whom Mayor Barry and ex-Mayor O'Donnell sang. The Bay State delegation left Providence at 8 o'clock, returning by special train to Boston. The Lowell men arrived home at midnight.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Harry Hartley and Miss Albertine Roy were married last night. The ceremony was performed at 7 o'clock at St. Joseph's rectory by Rev. J. H. Racette, O. M. I., Ph.D. The witnesses were Messrs. William Roy and Leandre Frechette.

Broderick's orch., Prescott, tonight.

$4000 MISSING

Director of Bureau of Printing Says it Was Stolen and Destroyed

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Director Ralph of the bureau of printing and engraving declared today that the $4000 missing from the bureau for some time was either stolen or destroyed. Inventory of the bureau's stock practically has been completed and no trace of the sheets of $10 bills has been discovered. Secret service men and others have worked on the case, but not the slightest clew has been discovered.

COUNTRY TO SQUABBLE IN

ONLY WAY TO ASSURE IT IS A FULL POLICY OF INSURANCE, SAYS SIR EDWARD COLLES

LONDON, Feb. 9.—"We must have a country to squabble in and the only way to assure that, is a full policy of insurance as represented by a supreme navy," a remark made by Sir Edward Colles, a unionist member of parliament was the keynote of a meeting today of representatives of the city of London, held at the Guildhall under the presidency of the lord mayor.

The requisition for the meeting had been signed by about 1000 of the leading bankers, merchants, shipowners, etc., of all political creeds and it was held for the purpose of assuring the government that the citizens of London would cordially support it in any measures necessary to give effect to the recommendations of the admiralty to ensure the supremacy of the navy and the security of British commerce.

A resolution in this sense was unanimously adopted by the meeting, which represented hundreds of millions of capital.

NEW CLUB FORMED

BY MEMBERS OF NOTRE DAME DE LOURDES PARISH AT THE SCHOOL HALL YESTERDAY

Over fifty men of Notre Dame de Lourdes parish gathered at the parochial school hall in Branch street yesterday afternoon for the purpose of organizing a new club. The affair had been broached out at a previous meeting of a committee of 20 appointed to draw up resolutions and yesterday the entire matter was turned over to the parishioners. At a previous meeting the club has been named Canado-Americain, but yesterday this was changed to Cercle Cartier.

The meeting was called to order at 2 o'clock by George Couture, president pro-tem of the organization, and considerable business was transacted, and before the meeting adjourned 40 members had been enrolled and a board of officers had been selected. The by-laws were read and studied carefully and a few minor changes were made and after interesting remarks and good suggestions had been made by H. J. Turcotte, W. A. Parthenais, George Couture, Mr. Hogue, William and Olivier Renaud, Louis Regnier, Joseph Provost, Charles E. Branchaud and others, the name of the club was changed from Canado-Americain to Cercle Cartier.

The club will be a social organization and the members will also attend to naturalization among the Franco-Americains of Notre Dame de Lourdes parish. A committee was appointed to confer with the pastor of the parish, Rev. Leon Lamothe, O. M. I., for the use of the parochial school hall for meetings until such time as permanent quarters are secured by the organization and the pastor cheerfully agreed to allow the men to meet at the hall. It was voted to keep the charter of the club opened for some time, that is not to charge any admission fees until further notice to give all members of the parish the privilege of joining the organization.

The officers elected for a term of one year were as follows: Joseph Provost, president; Ovila Tetreault, first vice-president; Arthur Loranger, second vice-president; Charles E. Branchaud, recording secretary; Alfred Renaud; assistant recording secretary; Charles Larocque, treasurer; Louis Ducharme, assistant treasurer.

PRESIDENT OF HAITI

GEN. ORESTES ZAMOR ELECTED TO SUCCEED MICHAEL ORESTE—NEW CABINET

HAITI, Island of Haiti, Feb. 9.—Gen. Orestes Zamor, who was elected president of Haiti by congress yesterday in succession of Michael Oreste, who fled on the outbreak of the revolution, formed his cabinet today, the portfolios being distributed as follows:

Foreign affairs—J. N. Leger.
Finance—Edmund Lespinasse.
Public works—Gen. Beaufosse Laroche.
Interior—Gen. Carlos Zamor.
Public instruction—M. Baloncour.
War and marine—Gen. Etienne.

STRIKERS REMAIN OUT

TIME LIMIT EXPIRED TODAY AND BUT ONE MAN RETURNED AT FALL RIVER

FALL RIVER, Feb. 9.—The time limit placed on the strikers of the American Print Works to return to work expired today. One striker returned. Nathan Durfee, assistant treasurer of the company, issued a statement that 20 printing machines were running and that the company was getting along very well with the help at hand. The strikers met this morning and voted to remain out.

MONROE VICTIMS

Expert Divers Believe Bodies of 41 Victims Can be Removed

NORFOLK, Va., Feb. 9.—Expert divers who have thoroughly examined the wreck of the Old Dominion steamer Monroe, sunk in collision with the Nantucket, express the belief today that while the bodies of the 41 victims, as well as the cargo, can be removed the vessel itself will be a total loss. They declare the reason that none of the bodies of the dead has come to the surface or been rescued is due to the terrific force of the collision which jammed the timbers and doors of the starboard saloons and staterooms, practically and effectually sealing them from the action of the sea. Divers have found it impossible to open these doors and say that explosives must be used to liberate the dead.

Examination of the exterior by the divers disclosed the fact that near the bridge on the starboard side, below the water line and extending through the hull to the keel there is a ragged hole large enough to permit the passage of half a dozen men abreast.

STUBBORN BOY IN COURT

LECTURED BY JUDGE AND PUT ON PROBATION—NON SUPPORT CASE TRIED

Frederick Mills, a young chap who was charged by his older sister with being a stubborn child, announced that he was guilty with mien and manner which showed that the youngster really thought otherwise.

The boy's mother took the witness stand and said that the boy was a good boy and gave her all of his earnings but that he had been out of work for the past twelve weeks. The boy was all right if let alone, she said.

When cross-questioned by the superintendent the mother admitted that the boy did abuse her with his tongue on occasions but, said she, "he gets nervous and goes all to pieces." "It's nothing but his nerves," affirmed the mother.

Judge Enright talked to the boy for a few minutes and advised him to go to work at once and to calm his nerves and not use bad language to his mother. He was released on probation.

For Non Support

Exilias Paquette pleaded guilty to a complaint charging him with the non-support of his wife and four minor children. The defendant is a good mechanic and draws a large salary each week but spends the majority of his earnings on drink. The court gave him a severe lecture this morning and placed him under a suspended sentence to the house of correction. Paquette agreed to pay his wife $10 each week for the support of his family and promised to quit drinking.

Margaret Bradbury was placed under a suspended sentence to the women's reformatory this morning on the charge of drunkenness. Harry A. Bent was sent to the state farm on a like charge. Matthew Marion was placed under a suspended sentence of two months in jail. Mary Roper withdrew her appeal of Saturday and took a trip up Thorndike street way for a three months' stay. Herbert Harrison, Mary Bradley and Eugene Ducharme were all fined $6 for drunkeness.

John, Maurice and Andrew Vilda were charged with drunkenness and Officer Maloney told the court that a man had told him that the three had assaulted him. The man who alleged the assault, however, did not put in an appearance and the three defendants were released as it was their first offence. J. Jo[illegible] O'Connor, Esq. appeared for the defence.

Officers M[illegible]ly and Sullivan testified that Michael Antoniovitch, James Pronca and Alexander St. Tuska were three very drunk individuals Saturday night. The first defendant was beaten up badly and covered with blood when arrested. None of the defendants had imbibed a single glass of beer if their own testimony was to be accepted.

Judge Enright believed the testimony of the officers rather than the tale of the defendants and fined them each $5.

Thomas J. O'Neil went to the state farm. He was out under a suspended sentence to that institution and got loaded up and was arrested Saturday night.

Frank Lynn, a third offender, was fined $15 and allowed two months to pay it in. The court promised Lynn a trip to Bridgewater if he appeared again. Mary J. Brown was fined $6 for drunkenness.

ASSURANCES BY VILLA

RECEIVED AT THE WHITE HOUSE RELATIVE TO TREATMENT OF FOREIGNERS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Indirectly assurances have been received at the White House from General Villa about the proper treatment of foreigners. The representations by American consular officials on the necessity of extending to Spaniards, as well as all foreign subjects, of similar protection have met with compliance.

At the same time Villa, it is understood, will not be disposed to ignore active participation by foreigners in the cause of General Huerta but will extend to any foreign combatant, however, the right of trial.

In the main the administration here is disposed to regard as satisfactory Villa's assurances.

TO FLY 498 MILES TODAY

SAN FRANCISCO AVIATOR TO FLY FROM THAT CITY TO SAN DIEGO, CAL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Silas Christofferson, an aviator, expects to fly from this city to San Diego today. He plans to leave here early in the day and with two stops for oil, lunch and supplies he believes he will reach San Diego in about 11 hours. The distance is 498 miles.

DENIAL BY WALSH

No Truth in Story That He Failed to Sign the Order

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Gov. Walsh stated last night that there is no foundation for the story printed Sunday saying that he had failed to sign the necessary official order confirming the appointment of the members of the staff.

He said: "There is absolutely no foundation in the story to the effect that my staff have not been properly appointed and confirmed. I cannot understand how such a statement could have been made. Directly after having received the opinion of the attorney general that the adjutant-general legally held office, the papers were sent through in the regular way. The commissions have been signed for a month. As commander-in-chief of the militia I merely had to designate the men on my staff from the line and the commissions of my two personal aides have been sent through the adjutant-general's office in the regular form and signed by me."

BOY KILLED COASTING

DERRY, N. H. LAD OF NINE YEARS OF AGE VICTIM OF ACCIDENT—STRUCK LOG

DERRY, N. H., Feb. 9.—A fatal coasting accident occurred here Saturday, Paul H. Beckford, son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Beckford, being the victim.

The little fellow, almost 9 years old, was sliding down the hill near Couch's pond, and on the ice of the pond. Running into a log, he was thrown from his sled and terribly injured internally. A doctor was called, but the boy expired in a few hours.

He is survived by his parents, two sisters, Bertha and Violet, and two brothers, George H. Jr. and Waldo. The funeral will be Monday at 2 o'clock. The body will be taken for burial to Melrose, Mass. whence the family moved here.

1000 IN BREAD LINE

HUNDREDS OF CHICAGO UNEMPLOYED GIVEN WORK IN ICE-FIELDS

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—Hundreds of Chicago unemployed were given temporary work today in the icefields of Wisconsin and Michigan. Many hundreds of the poor were given improvised quarters last night in police stations. More than 100 men were in a bread line maintained by a private charity last night.

After a day of below zero temperature the thermometer began to climb slowly early today. Yesterday's minimum temperature was 8.7 degrees below zero at 8.30 in the morning. Weather bureau reports show that yesterday was the coldest day experienced in Chicago in two years.

BOY ENDED HIS LIFE

SUICIDE RESULT OF OVERWORK AND STUDY—TRYING TO BECOME A LAWYER

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Morris Fishman, the 20-year-old immigrant boy whose body was found in his room at 179 West Ninth street, South Boston, committed suicide because of overwork and study, it was learned last night.

The young man, who died from gas poisoning, had been in America but four months. He was a porter and window washer at the Haymarket relief station, attended night school and devoted every spare moment of his time to study.

He was educating himself to become a lawyer, and it is believed that his mind became affected.

LADIES OF CHARITY

A special meeting of the Ladies of Charity was held at St. John's hospital Sunday afternoon, Miss Rose A. Dowd presiding.

It was voted to hold meetings every month at the hospital instead of quarterly as heretofore.

Ways and means were discussed to raise funds for the hospital and it was decided to hold an entertainment in the near future.

The following named ladies were chosen unanimously as directors: Mrs. F. Gilbride, Mrs. E. D. Kerwin, Miss Louisa Drach, Miss Margaret J. McCluskey, Mrs. Nano Gallagher Leahy, Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, Mrs. H. C. McOsker, Miss Fanny Maxwell, Mrs. J. H. Donnelly, Mrs. C. D. McCarthy, Mrs. John Murphy, Mrs. E. A. McQuade, Mrs. P. F. Sullivan, Mrs. Charles Keyes, Mrs. James Gookin, Miss Pearl Courtney.

URIC ACID SOLVENT

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Just because you start the day worried and tired, stiff legs and arms and muscles, an aching head, burning and bearing down pains in the back—worn out before the day begins, do not think you have to stay in that condition.

Be strong, well and vigorous, with no more pain from stiff joints, sore muscles, rheumatic suffering, aching back or kidney disease.

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BLOWN OFF FIRE LADDERS

Oil Explosions at Fire in Five Story Brick Building on Atlantic Ave., Boston, Today

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Stifling smoke and frequent explosions of oil tanks drove the firemen from their ladders at a fire which destroyed a five story brick building occupied by the Wawood Co., dealers in lubricating oils in Atlantic avenue, early today. Streams directed from the elevated railway structure and roofs and adjoining buildings prevented a spread of the flames to other structures along the water front. The loss was estimated at $50,000.

BOYS DROWNED

Coasted Onto Thin Ice in Pond Near Their Home in Boston

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—The bodies of Robert and Albert Coleman, eight and six years old, sons of John Coleman, a laborer, were found under the ice in a small pond near their home in Forrest Hills today. The children left home yesterday with their sleds. It is believed they coasted onto thin ice.

THE WHITE WAYS WON

TOOK ONE OF SEASON'S FASTEST BOWLING MATCHES FROM T. & S. FIVE—BUNTINGS WON

The White Ways and the Tremont and Suffolk bowling teams rolled a fast contest Saturday night on the White Way alleys, the former five winning the game by the score of 1583 to 1447. Myrick of the winners was high man with 333 and his single of 139 was also high. It was one of the best games that has been rolled off here this winter.

The Crimsons took a close six handed game from the Mathews, the score being 1547 to 1534. Hopkins of the Mathews rolled the high total of 311 and the high single of 122.

In the Concord league the Fairmounts and the Riversides had at it Saturday, with the result that the Fairmounts added another win to their record. Williams of the losers put up the highest total.

The Buntings wrested a game from the Almonts by the score of 1278 to 1247 in their match on the alleys. Mason of the Almonts carried off the individual honors of the contest. The scores:

White Ways—Devlin 315, Hall 290, Dwyer 309, Perrin 286, Myrick 332; totals 1533.

Tremont & Suffolk—Jodoin 266, McDermott 316, Dever 297, Wynne 293, Marquis 276; totals 1447.

Crimsons—Houston 280, Inglis 232, O'Donnell 258, Bradbury 226, Masher 244, Hubin 307; totals 1547.

Fr. Mathews—O'Brien 201, Hannagan 240, J. O'Brien 257, Hickey 269, Hopkins 311, McAvoy 256; totals 1534.

Fairmounts—McCaffrey 272, Berry 266, Mulligan 250, Gilbs 228, A. Doyle 256; totals 1272.

Riversides—Curtin 230, Forbes 247, Williams 283, T. Doyle 250, Jones 228; totals 1247.

U. S. Bunting—Riley 252, Mullen 263, Lynch 259, Brickley 252, Burtt 252; totals 1278.

Almonts—Choquette 242, MacCumland 241, Mason 251, Roberts 240, Harnden 243; totals 1247.

SHOE SHOPS PLEDGED

TO ARBITRATION WITH THEIR EMPLOYES—TO PREVENT A STRIKE

BROCKTON, Feb. 9.—Now that the Fred F. Field company and the Diamond Shoe company have signed the Boot and Shoe Workers union arbitration contract the entire shoe manufacturing industry of the city stands pledged to employ arbitration rather than strike or lockout in the settlement of labor disputes.

Practically every one of Brockton's 13,000 or more union shoe workers and its 30-odd manufacturing concerns, many of them among the largest in the world, are now a unit for arbitration, and the state board of conciliation and arbitration is in every instance named as the tribunal to decide all disputes arising from working conditions, hours of labor or wage scales.

This means that for the first time in the history of Massachusetts the whole of one of its greatest industries in one of its largest manufacturing cities is pledged to arbitration.

Nor, indeed, is Brockton the limit. In the surrounding shoemaking district there are so pledged nearly 30 other factories and fully 12,000 operatives, making a total of 60 factories, and 25,000 workers. In Randolph, Abington, North Abington, Rockland, South Braintree, North Easton, East Weymouth, Holbrook, Bridgewater, Middleboro, Whitman and New Bedford a majority of the factories have signed the agreement.

After 15 years of experience with the arbitration method of settling labor disputes union officials, manufacturers and the officials of the state board are agreed in according to it credit as the biggest factor in making the city's prosperity.

HUMAN ASHES IN THE MAIL

MILFORD, Feb. 9.—The United States has at last become a factor in the undertaking business, it was learned here yesterday, when word arrived that the cremated remains of Miss Helen Carpenter are to be forwarded here from San Jose, Cal.

Miss Carpenter taught school for many years here and in Boston, while independent means enabled her to also devote much time to travel. Her only surviving relative is a newsboy, Arthur Carpenter of Boston. She was born here in 1851 and was a member of the Daughters of the Mayflower and the D. A. R.

Her ashes will be transferred from the postoffice to the family lot in Milford cemetery.

KILLED BY FALL

Fred Cloutier Met Fatal Accident at His Home on Webster Street

Fred Cloutier of 29 Webster street met with a fatal accident Saturday night when he fell down a flight of stairs at his home. Unconscious and suffering from a fracture of the skull, he was removed to St. John's hospital, where he passed away a few hours later. The remains were viewed by Medical Examiner J. V. Meigs, who pronounced death due to accident.

LACOURSE IN PRISON

MISSING HUSBAND IS FOUND IN HOUSE OF CORRECTION—SENT FROM READING

The mysterious disappearance of Ernest Lacourse of 93 Pawtucket street, who left home on Jan. 17 and has not been heard from since, was solved this morning, when The Sun was informed by officials at the Reading police station that Lacourse was arrested in Reading on Jan. 17 for drunkenness and was sentenced to the house of correction in Cambridge for a term of three months.

Follow the crowd, Prescott, tonight.

TWO KILLED IN RACE WAR

ENCOUNTER IN NEGRO SETTLEMENT AT AMERICUS, GA.—TWO CONSTABLES SERIOUSLY HURT

AMERICUS, Ga., Feb. 9.—Marion Bass, a deputy constable was killed; Tucker Cassell, constable, seriously wounded; Lou Larramore, deputy constable, painfully wounded, and Edward Tyson, a negro, killed in a battle late Saturday night at a negro settlement near De Soto, 15 miles from this place.

Cooper Bivins, another negro, was pursued today by a posse with bloodhounds.

According to reports received here late yesterday, two white men were fired on as they passed the negro settlement. Neither was injured, but the matter was reported to county authorities, who went to the scene to arrest the negroes who had done the shooting. When Cassell and his deputies reached the settlement they were greeted with a volley, Bass falling dead at the first fire. Cassell and Larramore, although wounded, returned the fire, killing Tyson. Bivins, said to have taken part in the shooting, escaped.

FIND BODIES IN SNOW

HUSBAND SHOT AND KILLED HIS WIFE AND THEN COMMITTED SUICIDE

TOLEDO, Ohio, Feb. 9.—The bodies of a man and a woman found lying in the snow at Bryan, 25 miles west of this city, bore witness to a tragedy, the details of which reached Toledo yesterday.

Carl Stauffer, returning from Los Angeles after a separation of four years from his wife, Blanche, met her in the street Saturday night when she was returning from a picture show. He shot her twice in the head, and then turned the weapon on himself. Stauffer was 33 years old.

20 dances 15c, Prescott, tonight.

DO NOT SCOLD THE CHILDREN

Nervous mothers, worried from morning till night by the care of children and the duties of the household; nervous children worn out by over study, unable to sit still or stand still or to keep their minds concentrated on anything long, both need Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to build up the blood and strengthen the nerves.

Try a short treatment with these strengthening pills and watch the color return to pale cheeks and lips, see how the worn nerves recover their poise, note how much less irritating the children become and how much less scolding they need. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a blessing to nervous people everywhere, men as well as women, because they build up the blood and strengthen the nerves. They lighten the cares of life because they give you new strength to meet them.

Nervousness in children should be corrected at once as it is but a short step to St. Vitus' dance. Give them Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to build up their blood and they will become sturdy, pink-cheeked and rugged.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills should be kept in the house. Your own druggist can supply you. Write now to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for free booklet "Home Treatment of Nervous Disorders."

LOWELL WON TRACK MEET

Rindge Tech Proved Easy Opponent for Lowell School Boys —Score, 61 to 20

Rindge Tech of Cambridge proved an easy proposition for Lowell high when the two schools met on the Paige street annex track Saturday afternoon for their dual track meet. The local school boys won the meet by the score of 61 to 20.

Lowell high was superior to the visitors in all but one event, the high jump. Harvey of Rindge won the jump with a leap of five feet and three inches and this proved to be the only first place won by his team. Lowell men finished in the lead in every other event, and the affair was soon changed from a contest into an exhibition. In Heathcock, Delorme, Randall and Buchanan, Lowell has a quartet that will greatly score points in the coming meets but for whom Saturday's meet, proved to be a "coming out" affair.

At 2.40 o'clock Starter McCann started the first heat of the 30 yard dash. Libbee of Lowell breasted the tape with Sullivan of Rindge, the other man to qualify. Time, 3 4-5 sec.

Both of Lowell High's representatives romped home with the first two places in the second heat. It was won by Cunningham with Cahill close at his heels. Time 3 4-5 sec.

In the final Sullivan, the only Rindge entry to qualify, was disqualified for making three false starts. Cunningham, Libbee and Cahill finished in the order named, giving Lowell all nine points in this event and the jump on the visitors. The time for the final of the 30 yard dash was 3 3-5 sec.

Score: Lowell 9, Rindge Tech. 0.

Although Captain Bowers was set back a yard for a false start he jumped into the lead on the first lap of the 1000 yard run. Poole and Coleman of Tech. were close behind him.

This race was one of the prettiest that has been run at the local track in years. Bowers opened up a lead of ten yards and kept it for three-quarters of the distance. At this point Poole closed in on the local runner and from that time until the last lap of the race it was a game test of endurance between the two. Bowers won out by a five yard margin with Poole second and Riley third.

Score: Lowell 14, Rindge Tech. 4.

The 300 yard dash was a procession of Lowell high sprinters. The visitors could not take the banked corners and were not in a class with the entries of the local team on the straightaway. Delorme, Cahill and Taylor raced across the finish mark in the lead. Taylor was disqualified for passing a Rindge man on the inside of the track. Lowell was awarded eight points and Rindge one. Delorme first, Cahill second, Gognen third. Score, Lowell 22, Rindge 5.

The running high jump was the next event on the program and Rindge was conceded this event at the outset.

Harvey of the visitors showed the best form of the jumpers with his teammate, Dupee, and Buchanan of Lowell staying with him until the bar reached 5 ft., 3 in. Dupee could not get over this height and the event narrowed down to a duel between Buchanan of Lowell and Harvey of Rindge. The Lowell boy failed at the next lift of the bar and the event was awarded to Harvey with Buchanan second and Dupee third. Lowell received three points and Rindge 6. Score: Lowell 25, Rindge 11. Height 5 ft., 3 in.

The Varnum and Highland grammar schools furnished the crowd with a close race in their relay contest. Each youngster hustled around the track as fast as his little legs would carry him to the great amusement of the crowd. The Varnum school won the race.

Heathcock and Capt. Bowers furnished a great race in the 600 yard run. Heathcock took the lead at the start with Bowers lagging in the rear. On the last two laps Bowers sprinted up to within a yard of Heathcock, but could not pass him on the home stretch. Downing finished third, giving Lowell nine more points. Score: Lowell 34, Rindge 11.

Three men qualified for the finals in the shot put. Duval, of Lowell, Coleman of Rindge and Cahill of Lowell. Although all of the visitors were husky individuals Coleman was the only one who could compete with smaller, but more skillful, local weight men. Duval won the event with Coleman second and Cahill third. Distance 36 feet 7 1-2 in.

Score: Lowell 40; Rindge 14.

The first heat of the 35-yd. hurdle brought Libbee and Taylor of Lowell against Dupee and Harvey of Rindge. Libbee won handily with Harvey two yards behind. Time 4 4-5 seconds.

Cunningham ran into his first hurdle and was to step in the second heat. Cahill of Lowell and Gaskill qualified for the final heat.

All four men got off well in the final, but Libbee clipped all three timbers in great style and came home a winner with Harvey second and Cahill third in 4 4-5 sec.

Score: Lowell 46, Rindge 17.

Riley of Rindge starting out at a strong clip in the mile and before four laps had been covered he had opened up a gap of 50 yards between himself and Berry of Lowell, his nearest neighbor. Randall of Lowell kept close at the heels of his teammate.

After gradually closing up the distance between himself and Riley, Berry jumped into the lead on the seventh lap. Randall hung close to Berry.

With three laps to go, Randall opened up a burst of speed that carried him 20 yards out in front of the field and finished his race an easy winner in 5 m., 16 4-5 sec. Hyson took second place and Berry third.

Score: Lowell, 52; Rindge, 20.

The relay race, as usual, closed the meet. It was a foregone conclusion, from the showing that the teams had made thus far, that, barring accidents, the local quartet of sprinters would walk away from their opponents. Such proved to be the case.

Lowell won the relay race by a quarter of a lap with Delorme, Taylor, Heathcock and Captain Bowers running in that order. Final score: Lowell 61; Rindge 20.

BASEBALL MEN

Gather in N.Y. for Schedule Meetings and to Discuss Outlaws

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Baseball owners and officials from near and far are gathered here today and others are on the way. The announced purpose of their visit is to attend the schedule meetings of the International league, the National and the American leagues. The real purpose, however, is the menace of the Federal league, which has loomed large on the baseball horizon this winter.

The International was the first to meet in regular session. It held its meeting and discussed the schedule for the coming season. Tomorrow the National league will meet for the same purpose and on Wednesday the American will adopt its 1914 playing dates.

Through it ways and means to fight the Federals will be formed so that on Thursday when a joint session is to be held, plans will be formulated for an aggressive campaign against the so-called outlaws.

President Chivington and some of the American association club owners are expected to take part in Thursday's conference.

Just what line of action is likely to be decided on is not yet clear. Several plans have been suggested but the scheme proposed some time ago for putting the International and American association teams in the cities where the Federals propose to locate clubs seems to be the most favorably considered. Some of the owners, among them, August Herrman of Cincinnati, are inclined to think that the Federal menace is a bubble; that it will burst before long anyway so far as this season is concerned.

BREAKS WORLD'S RECORD

AVIATOR INGOLD IN AIR 16 HOURS AND 20 MINUTES, AND COVERED 1050 MILES

MUNICH, Germany, Feb. 9.—The aviator Ingold yesterday broke the world's record for an endurance flight. He remained in the air for 16 hours and 20 minutes, and covered a distance estimated at 1050 miles without landing. Ingold started at Muthauser, Alsace, and flew far to the north. He then proceeded southward to Munich, landing in a suburb.

The previous record of 14 hours and 7 minutes was made by Brunelanger at Johannisthal Feb. 3.

Y. W. C. A. AUTO RACE

INTERESTING CONTEST IN WHICH SUPPOSED AUTOS MAKE THE TRIP ON A MAP

The sound of the auto horn is in the air around 50 John street, for the final days of the membership auto race is at hand. It is anyone's race now and the result cannot be prophesied. The final reports will be made Tuesday evening at a special supper to begin at 6.30. The following Tuesday, Feb. 17, will be given over to the real celebration when all the teams do their stunt and when the total, new and old, membership of the association will be welcomed.

The standing of the contestants at present is as follows: The "Knox," machine steered by Miss Marion Foster has covered 2450 miles and is speeding toward Salt Lake City; the "Rambler," Miss Adelaide Walsh, chauffeur, has traveled 1800 miles and is en route to Denver; the "Buick," Miss Flora Walker, chauffeur, has gone 1650 miles and is taking on gasoline at Lincoln; the "Pierce-Arrow," Miss Gladys Pendexter chauffeur, is at the 1500 mark; Miss Ida Boughton guiding the "Overland," has left Chicago behind and is racing along past the 1250 mile post; while the "Maxwell," Mrs. R. R. Gumb, chauffeur, is at 1200 and the "Ford," Miss Esther Geddes, chauffeur, has reached 1000 miles. Now is the time to boost the good work. Honk! Honk!!

STATUES ARE "PHONEYS"

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Art circles were interested today in statements made by Gutson Borglum, sculptor, that nearly 60 per cent. of all the monuments and statues in the United States, including those in Statuary hall, Washington, were not made by those whose names they bear.

The sculptor was addressing the women's political union yesterday. "Right here in our city," he continued, "I have known two or three sculptors who committed suicide. They had been doing other men's work, the other men getting the credit and they getting barely enough money to exist. I know that most of the work of statuary in this country has not been done by men whose names are on them. That is how America gets her art. Contracting firms get the contract and the honor. Starving artists do the work. The government pays for sculpturing thousands of dollars for which the sculptor gets a hundred or so."

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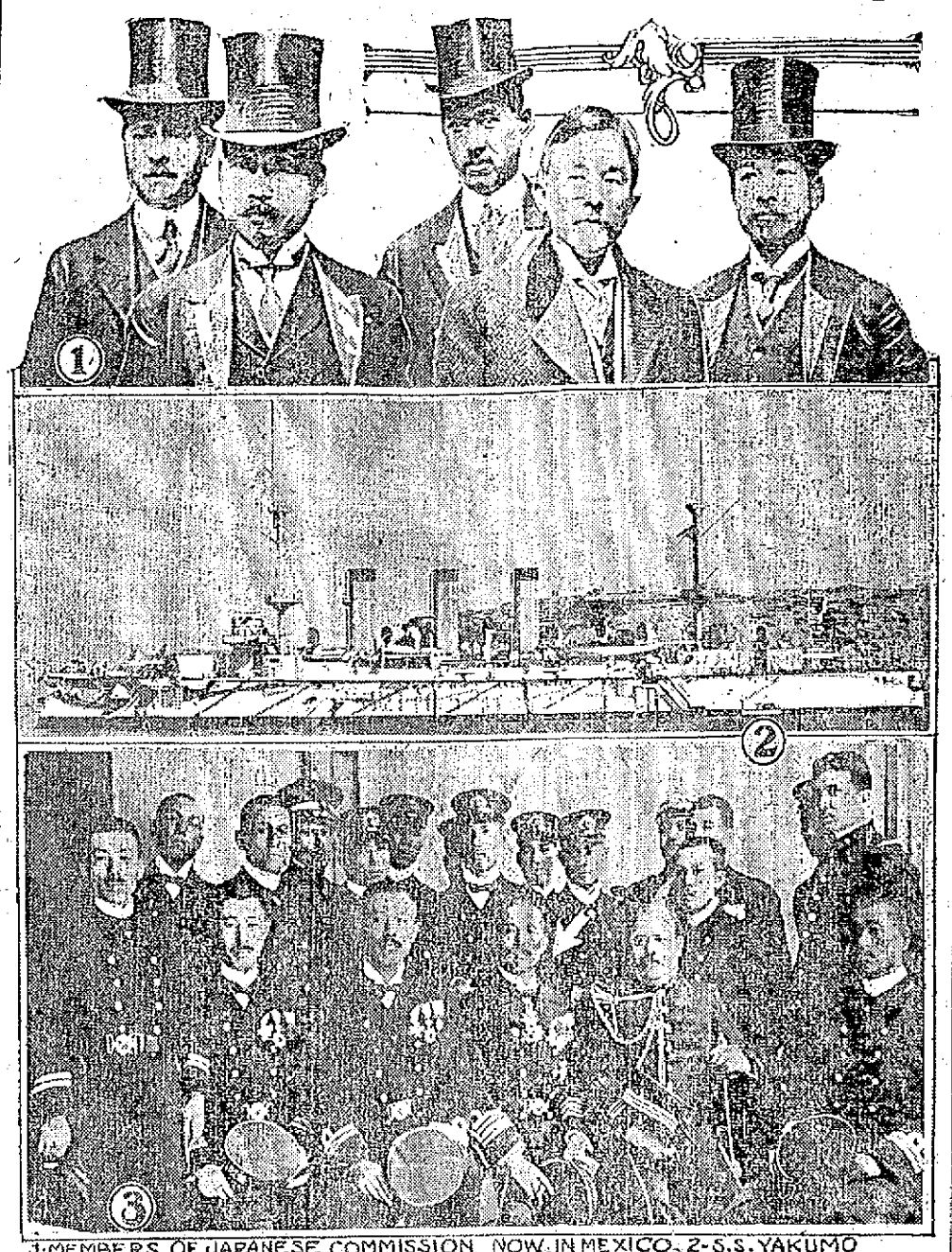
Grave Danger of War Between the United States and Japan



1-MEMBERS OF JAPANESE COMMISSION NOW IN MEXICO. 2-S.S. YAKUMO 3-COMMANDER AND OFFICERS OF YAKUMO

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 9.—It is evident to close observers here that Japan is taking keen interest in the developments in the Mexican situation. The Japanese commission sent here by the Mikado has been active in examining into conditions throughout the central sections of the republic, and it is rumored that the members desire oil concessions for their nation. The Japanese battleship Yakumo, on the west coast, is keeping a vigilant eye and is ready to land a force of marines should the lives of foreigners be threatened. The illustration shows the Japanese commission photographed in Mexico City, the battleship Yakumo and her officers. The arrow indicates the commander of the vessel.

Berlin, Feb. 9—According to a prominent member of the kaiser's court, it is the opinion in the highest military and naval circles that the questions at issue between the United States and Japan are graver than is generally believed and will become acute the moment the former country decides on military intervention in Mexico. This member of the emperor's entourage said in an interview: "The almost complete isolation of the United States from a political viewpoint in the last two years, combined with the Japanese question, is being closely but quietly watched by the German government. It is no secret that it is believed in diplomatic circles in Berlin that there will be grave danger of war between the United States and Japan if the former country maintains its present indifferent if not antagonistic attitude toward Japan's demand for a settlement of the questions now pending, especially if there should be any further anti-Japanese legislation in America."

DEFEATED AT BASKETBALL

TIGERS LOST FAST GAME TO EMPLOYED BOYS OF Y. M. C. A.—GREENWOOD THE STAR

The Tigers lost to the Y. M. C. A. Employed Boys Saturday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. gym in a fast basketball contest by the score of 34 to 20. The winners had a good knowledge of the game and their team work was superior to that of their opponents. Greenwood scored nine baskets from the floor. The summary:

Y. M. C. A.		TIGERS
Mitchell, lg		rf Boarke
Edwards, rg		lf, Martin
Clough, Felch, c		c, Lynch
Willis, lf		rg, Jones
Greenwood, rf		lg, Brennan

Score: Y. M. C. A., 34; Tigers, 20. Baskets from the floor: Greenwood 3, Willis 1, Martin 4, Jones 3, Clough, Felch, Mitchell and Brennan. Time: Two 15-minute periods. Referee, Wicke; scorer and timer, Doole.

TEMPERANCE MEETING

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Lowell has invited the unions of Pepperell, Ayer, Westford and Dracut to meet with them in the rooms of the Y. W. C. A. on John street on Thursday, Feb. 12, for a temperance inspiration meeting.

During the past two months several meetings of this kind have been held under the auspices of the Middlesex County W. C. T. U., and much temperance sentiment has been created thereby.

The speakers Thursday are to be the vice president-at-large of the Massachusetts W. C. T. U., Mrs. Ella A. Gleason of Winchester, and Mrs. Augusta R. Brigham of Malden, secretary of Middlesex County W. C. T. U., both of whom are well known in Lowell.

At a recent meeting of this kind in Worcester twenty women came forward and joined the local union, and Mrs. Gleason pinned the white ribbon bow, which is the badge of the organization, upon each one, and it is hoped that there will be as many new members in Lowell.

Mrs. Lily A. Clark, president of Lowell W. C. T. U., will preside, and at the close of the meeting light refreshments will be served by Lowell and Dracut ladies. Everybody is invited to be present.

Good time at Asso., Lincoln's birthday.

The visit of members of the state board of health to this city for the purpose of looking over sites for a contagious hospital has been postponed until next Saturday.

Y. W. C. A. GIRLS

Took Game From Their Haverhill Sisters on Basketball Surface

The Y. W. C. A. girls' basketball team won an easy game from the girls of the Haverhill association by the runaway score of 67 to 6 Saturday night on the local floor. The visitors at no time during the contest had a chance to win.

The passing and general team work of the Lowell girls as well as the individual shooting of Misses Libbee and Leggatt proved the undoing of the Haverhill girls. The visiting team was blanked in the first period while Lowell scored 20 points.

Miss Libbee caged the ball 23 times during the game which, although not a record, is a remarkable performance. Her floor work was above criticism and she made basket after basket from any old angle at all. The score and summary:

LOWELL		HAVERHILL
Frances Leggat lf	rf	Harriet Bennett
Gertrude Libbee, rf	lb,	Bessie Minard
Gladys Pendexter, cc	cc,	Sadie Schlenker
Frances Laflamme sc,	sc,	Sylvia Claridge
Ethel Geddes, lb	rf,	Helen Bagshaw
Eva Armstrong, rb	lf,	Abbie McConlbe

Summary: Baskets from the floor: Miss Libbee 23, Miss Leggat 6, Miss Pendexter 2, Miss Bagshaw 2, Miss Laflamme, Miss McConlbe. Baskets on free tries: Miss Pendexter 3. Free tries missed: Miss Pendexter 3, Miss Bagshaw 2. Fouls: Haverhill 6, Lowell 2. Score by periods: First, Lowell 20, Haverhill 0; second, Lowell 16, Haverhill 2; third, Lowell 31, Haverhill 4; total, Lowell 67, Haverhill 6. Referee: Miss Woodman. Timer: Miss Conroyer. Scorer: Miss Sweatt.

The baseball lineup:

High school: Miss Finnegan c, Miss Bennett p, Miss Crompton ss, Miss Girard 1b, Miss Frade 2b, Miss McManmon 3b.

Y. W. C. A.: Miss Lee c, Miss Lavigne p, Miss Desmond ss, Miss Tibbetts 1b, Miss Gerry 2b, Miss Kelly 3b.

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C. Y. M. L. GLEE CLUB

HELD FINE CONCERT IN ST. PATRICK'S PAROCHIAL SCHOOL LAST EVENING

A large gathering took place at St. Patrick's parochial school hall last evening, the occasion being a concert under the auspices of the C. Y. M. L. Glee club. The affair was one of the best musical soirees given this season and this was proven by the prolonged applause accorded each number. The program was in charge of Charles Miner and Patrick J. McGarrel, musical director and president of the Glee club, respectively, and it consisted of the following numbers:

Overture, C. Miner, H. Miner and J. Aiken; opening chorus, "Sleigh Ride," "When the Whole World Has Gone Back on You," "The Little Church Around the Corner," "Floating Down the River," and "When It's Moonlight in Dixieland"; "Dream Days," John Molloy; "Million Dollar Doll," John Quinn; "When the Twilight Comes to Kiss the Rose Goodnight," Thomas Delmore; "Sit Down, You're Rocking the Boat," Joseph Tobin; recitation, Joseph Kendrigan; "Cross the Great Divide," George Welch; "The Kellys Are At It Again," Patrick J. McGarrel; xylophone solo, Harry Miner; "When You and I Were Young, Maggie," John Neeson; laughing song, James Hession; "The Wounded Heart," Daniel P. McCarthy; whistling solo, Michael Molloy; "My Chain of Memories," James Dowling; "Let's All Go Round to Mary Anne's," Martin Clark; finale, "Flow Along, River Tennessee," "Make Me Love You," "Little Bunch of Shamrocks," and "I Am Going Home."

The members of the Glee club are: P. J. McGarrel, president; Martin Clark, recording secretary; Stephen Hession, financial secretary; John Gilnan, vice president and interlocutor; J. O'Connor, T. Delmore, J. Molloy, J. Quinn, J. Tobin, J. Kendrigan, George Welch, H. Miner, J. Neeson, J. Hession, D. McCarthy, M. Molloy, J. Dowling, J. Danckert, P. Keefe, J. Foster, J. Buland, F. Welch, J. Flannery, J. Mignon, J. Martin, S. Gilbride, G. Carrol, G. Wilton and W. Spillane.

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MINERS' STRIKE

House Investigation Committee Begins Hearings Today

HANCOCK, Mich., Feb 9.—Members of the committee authorized by the lower house of congress to investigate the copper miners' strike, which has been in progress since last July, are prepared to begin hearings this afternoon in the Hancock city hall.

Representatives Taylor of Colorado, chairman of the committee, and Casey of Pennsylvania arrived Saturday and Representative Powell of Utah was expected in time for the opening of the investigation at nine o'clock this afternoon.

Among other subjects to be presented by the miners are the Italian hall disaster at Calumet on Christmas eve and the subsequent deportation from Hancock of Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners. The mineowners promise to produce any witnesses and all records requested by the investigators. James McNaughton, general manager of the MacNaughton company, arrived here last night from the east and will be a witness. He was accompanied by Rudolph Agassiz of Boston, vice president of the company.

These seven subjects of inquiry are specified in the house resolution which created the investigating committee:

Whether the postal services are interfered with.

Whether immigration laws are being violated.

Whether citizens have been arrested and tried contrary to the constitution or laws of the United States.

Whether there exists agreements and combinations contrary to law for controlling the production, sale and transportation of copper.

Whether arms and ammunition have been shipped into the fields.

Whether peonage exists or has been maintained.

If any or all of these subjects exist, what causes led up to them.

LOWELL MAN TO SPEAK

DAN COSGROVE WILL BE THERE WITH THE BULL MOOSERS AT LINCOLN OBSERVANCE

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—The second annual celebration of Lincoln day by the progressives of Greater Boston will be held Thursday evening, the anniversary of Lincoln's birth, in Faneuil hall, under the auspices of the progressive city committee.

Leading the list of speakers will be Daniel Cosgrove, twice the party's candidate for lieutenant-governor; the Hon. Joseph Walker, former republican nominee for governor and now head of the progressive state legislative bureau; Geo. P. Webster of Boxford, candidate for speaker of the house this year, and Chairman Matthew Hale of the progressive state committee.

Charles Sumner Bird, who had intended to speak at the meeting, has been forced to cancel the engagement, as he is to be the chief speaker at the Lincoln day celebration in New York that evening.

The meeting will be presided over by Lauriston Ward, president of the city committee.

GILES MANDEVILLE DEAD

WAS OLDEST BUILDER IN CONNECTICUT, AND UNCLE OF SCHUYLER COLFAX

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 9.—Giles Mandeville, the oldest builder in the state and uncle of Schuyler Colfax, vice president of the United States during President Grant's first term, died here yesterday, aged 99.

DRIVEN OUT BY FIRE

Occupants of Apartment in Boston Block Forced to Flee Into Street—$1500 Damage

BOSTON, Feb. 9—Occupants of several apartments in the upper stories of the four-story brick building at 1295-1297 Washington street were forced to flee into the street when fire broke out in the basement at 8 o'clock last night.

Smoke from a lively basement fire filled all the upper stories and for a time it was feared that all would not get out alive. Policemen and firemen helped several women and children to reach the street.

The fire was in the establishments of the Standard Shoe company and the M. M. Litchfield company. Damage of about $1500 was caused.

MILL DIVIDENDS

Merrimack Manufacturing Company Declared Dividend

The Merrimack Manufacturing Co. of Lowell declared a regular semi-annual dividend of 2 1-2 per cent. on preferred stock, payable March 2 to stock of record Jan. 30.

The Bates Manufacturing company of Lewiston, Me. has declared a 6 per cent. regular semi-annual dividend, payable Feb. 2 to stock of record Jan. 22.

A quarterly dividend of $2 per share, payable Feb. 5 to stock-holders of record, has been declared by the Sagamore Manufacturing Co. of Fall River.

The Seaconnett mills of Fall River declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent., payable Feb. 1.

The Pepperell Manufacturing Co. of Biddeford, Me. declared a regular semi-annual dividend of $6 per share, payable Feb. 2, to stock of record January 23.

Nonquitt Spinning Co. of New Bedford have declared a 1 1-2 per cent. dividend, payable Feb. 3, to stock of record Jan. 27.

The Renfrew Manufacturing Co. of Adams declared the regular quarterly dividends of 1 3-4 on the preferred, and 1 1-2 on the common. The preferred dividend is payable April 1 to stock of record Jan. 29, and the common dividend Feb. 2 to stock of record Jan. 29.

The Luther Manufacturing company of Fall River has declared a 1 1-2 per cent. quarterly dividend of 1 1-2 per cent., payable Feb. 1.

WOODIES IS OUT

Has Resigned as Chief Clerk in the Saco-Lowell Shops

Fred Woodies of Gates street, who for some time has held the position of head clerk in the office of the Saco-Lowell machine company, severed his connection with the latter concern Saturday.

DELEGATION TO MAYOR

TO CONGRATULATE HIM ON HIS ATTITUDE ON ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL—SURVEY OF ESTIMATES

Sheriff E. W. Clark and Mr. George L. Huntoon were callers at Mayor Murphy's office Saturday and they had words of cheer for the mayor and other members of the municipal council. They told the mayor that they represented a body of men and were appointed a committee of two to extend congratulations to the present government for its method of dealing with public questions. Special mention was made of the request of St. John's hospital for a donation of $3500 from the city. The mayor had stated that he doubted the legality of the matter.

First Sewer Assessments

The first batch of sewer assessments will go before the municipal council at its meeting on tomorrow. The council will meet today for the purpose of considering estimates and it is barely possible that the sewer assessments may be taken up at that time. The assessments amount to $10,333.22, and represent 22 different sewers in as many streets.

Survey of Estimates

The municipal council went into executive session Saturday for the purpose of a preliminary survey of estimates. "I called this conference," said the mayor, "for the purpose of having each member of the council go over this estimate. I think it is best that we should go over the estimates in private conference before meeting to dispose of them in public meeting."

Bids For Bulbs

Bids on plants and bulbs for the park department and Lucy Larcom park were opened in Purchasing Agent Foy's office Saturday and John S. Haynes was awarded the contract in both instances. The bids were as follows: Lucy Larcom park—J. S. Haynes, $15.72, Highlands conservatories, $16.96; Whittet & Co., $16.24. Park department—John S. Haynes, $144.00; Highlands conservatories, $153.10; Whittet & Co., $152.21.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

VERMONT COWS
Thursday, February 12, 1914, at 2 o'clock p. m. at 51 Cushing St., Lowell, Mass., I will sell at Public Auction a carload of choice Vermont cows. They are all fresh milkers or close springers. Also 15 calves in one lot, at 2 o'clock sharp.
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LARGE BLACK DOG LOST; WHITE paws, white breast; collar with bow of red ribbon; no name on collar; answers to name of Rover. Reward if returned to Mrs. O'Brien, 65 Durant st.

LADY'S GOLD WATCH CASE LOST between East Merrimack st. and Merrimack sq. Reward for return to 55 East Merrimack st.

MOROCCO POCKETBOOK WITH name C. W. Richards inside the cover, and a sum of money in it, lost. Finder please return to 26 Burlington ave. and receive reward.

PAIR WOMEN'S EYEGLASSES LOST at Opera House, Central or Merrimack sts., Monday afternoon. Kindly return to 446 Merrimack st., suite 26.

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LADY LEAVING CITY MUST SELL within a week, new Columbia graphophone and records. Apply 65 Dover st.

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FINANCE COMMISSION

GOVERNOR WILL NOT APPOINT CARR, IT IS SAID—WILL GO OUTSIDE BOARD FOR CHAIRMAN

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Governor Walsh will not name Charles L. Carr of the finance commission as chairman of that body to succeed John A. Sullivan.

He stated to the members of the finance commission who called upon him to indorse Mr. Carr that he intended to go outside of the body for a chairman. The only republican that the governor has considered for the place is Robert J. Bottomley of the Good Government association.

The governor has stated to those who are interested in having Mr. Bottomley named, that he believes him to be one of the best qualified men in the city for the office, because of his training and experience in municipal affairs, but that he prefers to get a democrat for the place.

Corporation Counsel Corbett has been suggested for chairman to succeed Mr. Sullivan. It would be an interesting turn of events if the man removed by Mayor Curley from the head of the law department should be named as the head of the finance commission, thereby taking the place of chairman Sullivan, his successor in office.

John B. Murphy of Charlestown has also been suggested, and is being given consideration for the place. It is understood that Mr. Murphy has the backing of Representative Lomasney.

Governor Walsh states that he is anxious to get a man for the place who will be able to cooperate with the mayor and the city government as well as to criticise.

The governor will send his first big message to the legislature this week on the institutions. It is understood that he will recommend the abolition of boards of trustees and the establishment of a central management with a paid executive head. Under the scheme advanced by the board of efficiency and economy, the heads of the various state departments will be paid and made responsible to the central board of managers. They will be designated as secretaries.

This kind of an organization has been attempted very successfully in Ohio and Illinois. Mr. Walsh has arranged conferences with various boards of trustees for this week to discuss the work of the various state departments.

RAINING IN LONDON

BUT GIRLS DON'T CARE—THEIR TROUSERS ARE TURNED UP AT THE ANKLE—NAUGHTY!

LONDON, Feb. 9.—Fashionable women in London are agitated over the latest feminine mode, which is the creation of a well-known Parisian couturier of the Rue de la Paix. It is a walking costume, consisting of a short coat and a "wrap-over" skirt, fastening in front over a pair of trousers. The trousers have the fashionable centre crease and are turned up at the ankle.

INSURANCE OF WORKMEN

FRANKLIN MacVEAGH, CHAIRMAN OF INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF SOCIAL INSURANCE

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The organization committee of the first international congress of social insurance, to be held in Washington in October, 1915, has elected Franklin MacVeagh, ex-secretary of the treasury, to be its chairman.

The congress, among other subjects, will discuss insurance of workmen against accident, sickness and invalidism. The congress is primarily an official institution, its members being delegates from the principal governments of the world.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

FOR THE "CAUSE"

Woman Suffrage the First Question on Senate's Calender

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—With their minds preoccupied with immigration problems, trust legislation, treaty obligations and President Wilson's determination for reversal of policy on the Panama tolls question, administration leaders in congress had almost forgotten that they are face to face with the equal suffrage question.

Today the resolution to provide for a constitutional amendment extending suffrage to women is first on the calendar of business in the senate. Senator Ashurst, who is guiding the destinies of the resolution, does not expect it to come to vote, because several senators have notified him that they would like to discuss it.

THE TITANIC DISASTER

COURT OF APPEALS DISMISSED APPEAL OF WHITE STAR CO. FROM DECISION

LONDON, Feb. 9.—The court of appeals today dismissed the appeal of the White Star S. S. Co. from a decision of the king's bench court on June 30, declaring illegal the condition printed on the steamship tickets exempting the company from liability for loss by a passenger, even through negligence of th company's servants.

The question of legality of this exempting clause had been raised in a test case brought by an Irish farmer claiming damages for the loss of his son in the Titanic disaster.

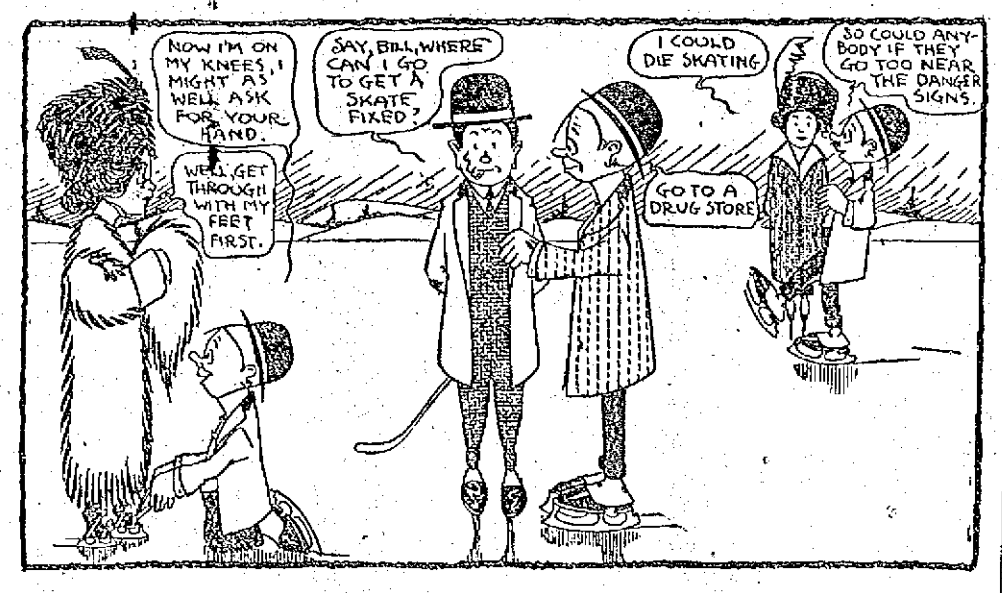
LECTURE ON SPAIN

Spain is a fascinating country in many ways. It is rich in history and architectural treasures. Many stereopticon views showing some of them, will be displayed at the talk which Mr. P. S. Marden will give in the People's Club course Wednesday at 8 o'clock. The public is invited and there will be no charge for admission. The hall is in the Runels building, Merrimack square, and the elevator will run.

LINEUP OF PRISONERS

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The daily lineup of prisoners at "headquarters," an institution that was abolished three years ago when Rhinelander Waldo became police commissioner was resumed today. A platform has been erected in the gymnasium of headquarters building and each prisoner will be walked about it while about half of the city's detective force, masked, will note his appearance and movements.

A LITTLE NONSENSE



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LEGISLATIVE HEARINGS

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 5, 1914. The Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in H. 793, that Lowell be authorized to acquire and rent land and structures for a municipal market, at room 436, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 10th, at 10.30 a. m. Andrew P. Doyle, Chairman. Arthur G. Greaney, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 5, 1914. The Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in H. 942, that park and reservation police or watchmen shall have one day off in every fifteen; at room 436, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 10th, at 10.30 a. m. Andrew P. Doyle, Chairman. Arthur G. Greaney, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Election Laws will give a hearing to parties interested in the following proposed legislation: H. 806, relative to notices or warrants for calling elections; H. 362, that district attorneys and county officers be nominated and elected in a non-partisan manner; H. 207, for a change in the hours of voting at primaries and elections; H. 612, relative to the nomination and election of county officers in Dukes County; H. 809, relative to the number of signatures required for the nomination of candidates for state officers; H. 1278, that voting be made compulsory and to provide a penalty for failure to vote at elections; H. 958, relative to elections in the city of Holyoke; H. 1115, for repeal of all laws governing caucuses or primaries; S. 244, that the hours of opening and closing the polls at primaries be made more uniform; H. 1275, for majority rule in elections; and H. 1587, relative to a preferential system of voting at elections in the town of Norwood, at room No. 141, State House, on Tuesday, February 10, at 10 o'clock, a. m. John H. Sherburne, Chairman. John J. Gilbride, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Insurance will give a hearing to parties interested in H. 365, on appraising personal property before insuring; S. 153, that mutual fire and mutual accident companies be liable in cases of bankruptcy, etc., of insured; S. 161, as to Mass. Employes Insurance Association; H. 980, that certain life policies be incontestable after the payment of first premium; H. 981, on unclaimed commissions in hands of life companies; at room 503, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 10th, at 10.30 a. m. Walter E. McLane, Chairman. Daniel J. Chapman, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 1068, for the promotion of the health and efficiency of members of fire departments of certain cities; and House No. 171, for increased efficiency in fire departments in cities of over forty thousand inhabitants; at room No. 436, State House, on Thursday, Feb. 12, at 10.30 a. m. Andrew P. Doyle, Chairman. Arthur G. Greaney, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Insurance will give a hearing to parties interested in the following proposed legislation: S. 81, on organizing mutual marine insurance companies; H. 979, for charter for The Automobile Mutual Fire Insurance Co.; S. 258, to unify mortality claims of savings and insurance banks; H. 1785, to prohibit discrimination, etc., of premiums other than life policies, and H. 1759, to prohibit discrimination, etc., of premiums on life policies, at room No. 505, State House, on Thursday, Feb. 12, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. Walter E. McLane, Chairman. Daniel J. Chapman, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Mercantile Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate No. 93, to limit the hours for doing junk business; S. No. 304, to revoke the charter of French King Rapids Power Co.; H. 1244, preliminary report of the special commission of 1913 on the construction of buildings, etc.; S. 308, for elevator-rescue devices; H. 1315, on licenses for business chance brokers, etc., and H. 1642, on the supervision of steam power and plant fitting; at room No. 431, State House, on Thursday, Feb. 12, at 10.30 a. m. E. C. R. Bagley, Chairman. David F. Sullivan, Clerk of the Committee.

CO. M WINNERS

Defeated Co. G of Woburn in All Departments at the Armory

Company G of the Fifth, whose home is in Woburn, received a bad beating Saturday night at the hands of Co. M of the local militia on the floor of the Westford street armory. M athletes took all the possible points, shutting out the visitors without a chance.

The basketball game between the two teams was very close, M winning by only a one-basket margin. Moran caged the ball five times and proved the star of his team.

Although the Woburn team included the two Kean brothers in their shooting team they went down to defeat in this department. Sergt. Kean was high man with 79. The bowling was also a win for the Lowell company. Davis put up the best total for the locals. The scores:

Basketball

CO. G	CO. M
Mobbs f	lb Bickford
Hammond lf	rb Moran
Henly, Elliot c	c Gleason
Curtin rb	lf Hurley
Kerwin lb	rf McDermott

Score: Company M 14, Company G 12. Baskets: Moran 5, Kerwin 3, Hurley 2, Curtain, Mobbs. Fouls, M 5, G 2. Referee, Mann, K, Sixth; timer, Capt. Kean, G, Fifth; scorer, Mountain, K, Sixth.

Shoot

COMPANY G

Sergt Kean	79
Capt. Kean	69
Private Graham	64
Cook Bustead	63
Private Hogan	59
Total	314

COMPANY M

Cook Kirk	48
Sergt Moran	77
Corp. Erickson	77
Musician Callahan	78
Lieut. Christian	72
Total	352

Lieuts. S. R. Waller, range officer.

Bowling

Company G: Bustead, 240; White, 227; Mahoney, 251; Hogan, 291; Armstrong, 267. Total, 1276.

Company M: Mack, 261; Hollig, 277; Dickles, 255; Davis, 283; Kittredge, 246. Total, 1345.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary A. Kearns, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Thomas F. Kearns, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ann Kearns, otherwise called Ann Kerns, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Elizabeth A. Kearns, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of Mary McGlone, late of Billerica, in said County, deceased:

Whereas Margaret Reidy, executrix of the will of Michael McGlone, who was the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the account of said Michael McGlone's administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of David Lee, late of Pelham, State of New Hampshire, deceased:

Whereas, Abbie J. Clyde, the executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and second accounts of her administration upon the estate of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the next of kin and all others interested in the estate of Caroline E. Newcomb, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Frederick P. Marble, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance the first account of his administration on said estate and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next of kin of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by delivering or mailing post-paid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

8-ROOM COTTAGE AND BARN FOR sale, $2000; modern 7-room house, $2600; modern 7-room cottage, $1800; two tenements, blocks. If you want a home or investments, see Vance, 88 Third st., Centralville.

THE WAUGH PROPERTY FOR sale; situated at 183 Walker st., Lowell, Mass. There is a large lot and very desirable location. Inquire of John W. Genaway, Malone, N. Y.

LAWRENCE PROPERTY FOR SALE. Money making proposition. Two stores and two tenements; pay 10%. $5000; can be bought with $1000 down; butcher fixtures in one store; dry goods fixtures in other; on principal st.; good location. Write or call, Hubert M. McMahon, office Room 411, Sun bldg.

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Southern Div.

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5.15	6.50	2.55	5.37
6.35	7.54	6.00	6.58
6.47	7.56	7.14	8.21
6.49	7.59	7.50	8.30
6.57	8.06	08.21	9.28
7.21	8.43	9.00	9.37
7.55	8.47	9.30	10.08
8.23	9.45	11.05	11.43
8.56	9.57	12.30	1.09
10.12	10.24	1.00	1.20
9.16	10.30	2.00	3.00
10.00	11.10	3.00	3.30
10.58	11.49	03.41	5.02
11.18	12.15	4.00	4.58
12.15	1.05	04.14	5.32
1.45	2.25	5.00	5.38
2.30	3.25	05.21	6.26
3.30	4.40	5.37	6.33
4.20	6.21	05.51	7.30
5.31	6.25	6.14	7.24
16.12	7.17	6.00	8.28
6.42	7.55	8.30	9.58
7.41	8.23	10.30	11.38
9.55	10.40	11.45	12.59

Portland Div.

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	From Boston Lve.	From Boston Arr.
6.45	7.55	15.40	8.06
8.05	9.07	8.14	10.29
9.55	10.31	10.00	11.51
10.55	12.07	11.55	12.55
12.02	1.13	2.14	3.24
1.37	2.32	3.31	4.40
3.10	4.40	5.14	6.11
5.15	6.28	6.03	7.06
7.25	8.37	7.05	8.15
9.35	11.15	9.55	11.00

Sunday Trains

Portland Division

8.20	9.23	5.00	9.15
12.10	1.16	12.00	1.06
3.50	5.06	3.45	4.46
5.15	7.00	6.21	6.57
8.25	10.01	8.15	9.45

Sunday Trains

Southern Division

6.47	7.50	8.45	9.47
7.21	8.03	9.30	10.08
8.05	9.54	11.05	11.43
8.45	9.49	1.00	1.52
9.06	10.18	3.30	6.24
10.20	11.11	8.00	8.38
2.12	3.25	8.30	9.08
5.10	6.09	9.20	10.25
6.49	7.39	10.11	10.55
7.41	8.23	10.29	11.35
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References:

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LOCAL NEWS

Lyceum orchestra. Telephone 1950.

Best printing: Tobin's. Asso. bldg.

Dr. Constantineau, 251 Central st., Best dental work in city. Tel. 1314.

Arthur G. Beharrell, formerly of the City Hall garage, has been appointed manager of the Fiske Tire Co. at the corner of Appleton and Central streets.

Ernest Nelson, for some time a designer at the Merrimack Manufacturing company, has accepted a position with the New Market Manufacturing company of Newmarket, N. H.

The Kin-U-Wink girls held their annual sleighride party Saturday night. The party consisted of about 60 young people, who journeyed to Schofield's in Dracut, where a bountiful supper was served. A varied entertainment program was rendered and dancing was enjoyed until a seasonable hour. Among the invited guests were people from Cambridge, Marlboro, Nashua and Chelmsford. Those in charge of the affair were Carrie L. Mountain, general manager; the Misses Evelyn and Antoinette Benoit and Mary Anne Lambert. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. C. W. Mountain and Mrs. Eddie Erickson.

DIES AT AGE OF 100 YEARS

MRS. BERNARD PIERCE PASSED AWAY AT NORWICH, CONN., TODAY

NORWICH, Conn., Feb. 9.—Mrs. Bernard Pierce, a widow, died at the home of a daughter here early today at the age of 100 years.

NOTICE

DAVID GEROW wishes to announce that he will open his market at 164 and 166 Chelmsford street about Thursday, Feb. 12, when he will be pleased to see his many friends and customers.

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LINCOLN DAY IS RECOGNIZED

By Patriotic Service at Kirk Street Church Last Evening

Missionary Work Discussed by Sec. of Baptist Missionary Society

At the Kirk Street church, Sunday night, a service in recognition of Lincoln day was held under the auspices of the Brotherhood, and invited guests were present from the following patriotic orders: General B. F. Butler Post 42, James A. Garfield Post 120, Ladd and Whitney Post 185, G. A. R.; General Banks circle No. 26, Ladd and Whitney circle No. 8, Betsy Ross circle No. 24, Ladies of the G. A. R.; James A. Garfield W. R. C. No. 33, B. F. Butler W. R. C. No. 75; Sons of Veterans; Daughters of Veterans; Spanish War Veterans; Sons of American Revolution; Molly Varnum chapter, Lydia Darrah chapter, Old Bay State chapter, D. A. R.;

REV. C. ARTHUR LINCOLN
Pastor Kirk Street Church

Companies G and K, Sixth Massachusetts regiment, Lowell Mechanic Phalanx, Lowell City Guards, the guests of the Brotherhood.

Besides the special anthems sung by the choir, the congregation joined in the singing of Julia Ward Howe's "Battle Hymn of the Republic" and "The Red, White and Blue," and the male quartet sang "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground" and Star Spangled Banner." Arthur C. Spaulding played Kellar's "American Hymn" and "Hail Columbia," as offertory and postlude, respectively.

Rev. George E. Lovejoy, past chaplain in chief of the G. A. R., delivered the Lincoln eulogy, referring to him as "The Peerless Patriot." In part, he said:

"No battle chieftain, however great his exploits, has ever been able to arouse such love or such pride as is borne toward Abraham Lincoln.

"No philosopher, however gifted, ever rested so securely in the esteem of an entire nation as has he.

"By all the standards with which we measure greatness, he was preeminently a great man.

"By all criterions by which we discern a divinity in men he was distinctively a God-made man.

"There is no necessity of our devoting time to a rehearsal of those incidents of his life which formed his stairway of fame and world-wide influence. But I submit that the career of Abraham Lincoln gives a mighty accent to the statement that in America we have no royal circles from whose narrow limits the leaders of the people are chosen, while the gaping multitude look on in open-mouthed wonder; for, every youth on this continent has as royal blood in his veins as had Lincoln and if he but so wills it, he can rise to an altitude where he will be recognized by all who appreciate true worth.

"Lincoln's religious life manifested itself in religious exercise. He was a habitual worshipper in the sanctuary. Go to Washington, and, walking down the aisle of the New York Avenue Presbyterian church you will come to an old black walnut pew, and, as you ask whose it was, you will be told that when the church was remodelled and the new oak pews were installed that old black-walnut pew was allowed to remain because it was a sacred thing in that church, for in it regularly Abraham Lincoln was found on the Lord's day and a more devout and thoughtful worshipper never lived.

"Would that many of our busy men might take note of this who claim that they get so weary with their work and business during the week that they cannot attend religious services on Sunday, for here was a man more intensely occupied than any other man in the nation, bearing heavier burdens than ever a public official or business man ever carried, and yet his religious sense was so strong that he felt called upon to honor his God by being a regular worshipper with the people of God.

"Moreover Lincoln was a man of prayer. We recall that impressive incident which occurred in the experience of an eminent actor Murdock, that when a guest at the White House during the most critical period of the rebellion, he went to his room, but could not sleep because a cry that approached a groan sounded nearby. His curiosity led him to the corridor and along the hall till he presently looked through a door ajar and saw upon his knees the chief ruler of the republic crying out to Almighty God for His help and guidance in that critical hour of the nation's life.

"Was not Abraham Lincoln a man of God? Yes, by every just criterion by which we measure the religious instinct of a sincere believer. After hearing of the surrender of General Lee and the collapse of the rebellion he caused to be written on the Capitol the words: 'Thanks be to God who giveth us the victory.'

"'A man of destiny' do you call him? Yes, but more than that: A man sent from God to accomplish God's far-reaching purpose, a man of the people, for the people, serving the people.

Discussed Missionary Work

Rev. Hugh A. Heath, secretary of the Massachusetts Baptist Missionary society discussed the work of the society last night, at the First Baptist church. The speaker said he would not utter a word in discouragement of the foreign field, but he emphasized the fact that in America and in this state there is plenty opportunity for good work. The service was attractive, not only because of the very interesting talk by Secretary Heath, but also because of music by the church choir, and a solo by Miss Vivian Cowen, contralto.

"I want to impress upon you the importance of performing work at your own door," said Mr. Heath, "and at the same time I would be the last to say a word in discouragement of the foreign field. We have a tremendous task right here in Massachusetts, because conditions are changing so rapidly, and the methods of yesterday are not the methods of today. In education, for example, the plan of instruction at the present time is a great improvement over that which we thought ideal many years ago. Every department of life has undergone a change, and we must accommodate ourselves as quickly as possible to the new conditions.

"The problem of maintaining the small church in the out-lying districts is one that challenges attention. There are so many who assert that a church that is not self supporting should receive no encouragement. In a little town out among the hills of Massachusetts is a Baptist church that has only 65 children, and to these children recently, we sent a man bearing a message of good cheer in the Christmas season. Some one criticized our action, on the ground that the expense was not justified in a church not self supporting, but our society takes the position that every church must have a chance to hear the word of God expounded, to the end that ideals may be established which will reflect permanent good.

"Out of that little church, I could name you many men who have made their way in the world, who have accomplished great good in various walks of life, and who owe their success to the principles taught in the institution which we have been criticized for helping.

"Another feature of our work which is assuming large proportions is that which arises from the influx of foreigners. Our duty to them is just as binding as it is to other people who have preceded them, for they are here to remain; and from them will come generations that are to advance or retard American civilization."

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CLEAN UP FIRE TRAPS

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Patrick A'Hearn newly appointed building commissioner of Boston, declared emphatically last night that he will enforce the laws against fire hazards regardless of who the owners of condemned buildings may be.

Mr. A'Hearn stated that he will clean out the fire traps in the North and West Ends, which have been allowed to stand for years because they are the property of some of the richest men in Boston.

He said that he had no more interest in one section of the city than another, and that he would enforce the laws in Dorchester as thoroughly as in other districts.

The new building commissioner believes that there are at present a sufficient number of laws dealing with fire hazards, but that they have not been enforced. He stated that he will enforce all of them.

"I want to stop fire hazards," said Mr. A'Hearn, "and I believe the best means of accomplishing this is by the prevention of the erection of fire traps. Boston is spending a million dollars now for a high pressure water service, but why would it not be better to have fire protection in construction?

"There are at present plenty of laws dealing with fire hazards, but they have never been enforced. I believe I am the man to enforce them, and shall do so without showing any discrimination. I shall enforce the laws as thoroughly in Dorchester as in other portions of the city. I am not opposed to the moneyed classes, but if they own property which is considered dangerous I shall proceed against them as I would against anyone else."

UNITED IRISH LEAGUE

LOCAL BRANCH TO HOLD LECTURE AND CONCERT ON MARCH 15 FOR HOME RULE CAUSE

The United Irish league will conduct an illustrated lecture and concert in Associate hall on Sunday evening, Mar. 15, for the benefit of the home rule cause. The subject of the lecture will be Ireland, of course, and the lecturer, Michael J. Jordan, Esq., who has been heard here on a former occasion, has secured a new collection of pictures which are very interesting. As secretary of the United Irish League of America, he is in a position to give the people of Lowell inside information upon the work of the league and the true status of affairs in Ireland, now so much befogged by false reports sent out by the opponents of home rule.

The lecture will be illustrated by an excellent collection of stereopticon views and will not only deal with the Ireland of today but give views of the most notable historic battlefields.

There will be a short address by Mr. P. C. Kelly of Charlestown, who is a good speaker and a staunch patrial, well known by Lowell Hibernians and others. He holds a position in one of the departments in the city of Boston.

There will also be a concert by able singers. The local branch of the league at the last convention pledged $1000 and has sent but $750 of this amount. It is expected the $350 will be netted at this meeting. The final passage of the home rule bill may be taken on or about St. Patrick's day unless some unforeseen obstacle arises to block its passage and again dash the cup from Ireland's lips. Such a thing is possible but not probable so far as the men on the firing line can judge at the present time.

On account of the continuous campaign kept up by the Irish parliamentary party during the last year, the drain upon its resources has been very heavy, and while Mr. Redmond has decided not to make any other appeal, he relies upon all past pledges being redeemed.

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AT ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

Sermon on Propagation of the Faith by Rev. Fr. McGlinchey of Boston—Other Churches

At all the masses in St. Patrick's church yesterday Rev. Joseph F. McGlinchey, D. D., head of the society for the propagation of the faith of the Boston archdiocese, spoke on the work of the society and the great work it is doing in furthering the cause of Catholicity throughout the world. He urged on his hearers the necessity for missionary work and its cordial support, and he advocated a larger membership in the missionary society. The parishioners of St. Patrick's responded generously.

At the high mass at 11 a. m. Dr. McGlinchey gave an eloquent sermon on the work of the missionaries in all parts of the world, often amid unknown perils, of the hardships they undergo for the cause of Christ and of the vast tracts that still wait for the Christian harvester. He referred to the recent missionary congress in Boston and of the enthusiasm which it kindled throughout the archdiocese.

At the conclusion of the vesper service yesterday afternoon Dr. McGlinchey met several hundred of the congregation and enrolled many new promoters in the society he represents. Following the enrollment, he spoke of the satisfaction which the response of the people of St. Patrick's had given him, and he complimented the parishioners, and especially the members of the Propagation of the Faith for their generosity and charity.

Immaculate Conception

The high mass at the church of the Immaculate Conception was celebrated yesterday by Rev. Fr. Webb of the Tewksbury novitiate, and the sermon was preached by Rev. Fr. O'Brian, who spoke on the high veneration of the Catholic church for the Blessed Virgin Mary, and of the virtues which her life embodies. Veneration for the mother of God, he said, makes us understand by a beautiful "Ave Maria," in duet the human side of Christ, and it enables us to bring the mysteries of the God-head closer to our frail human nature.

This morning at 8 o'clock the 13th anniversary high mass was celebrated for the repose of the soul of Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I., who died Feb. 2, 1901, but whose memory is still fresh in the Immaculate Conception parish. The tenderness with which his memory is regarded was demonstrated by the large number of parishioners who attended.

St. Peter's

Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan celebrated high mass at St. Peter's yesterday, and Rev. W. George Mullin preached the sermon on the gospel of the day, the parable of the master of the vineyard and the laborers. The vineyard, he said, represents the church of Christ, and the lesson of the parable is that all should strive to work from the first hour uncomplainingly, leaving it to God to decide the payment.

In the afternoon at 3.30 o'clock a meeting of the committees in charge of the parish reunion, Feb. 17, was held and progress was reported by all. Rev. W. George Mullin spoke, and reports were read by General Manager John A. Quinn, Floor Marshal Arthur Cull, and the other heads of the many committees.

Sacred Heart Church

The Holy Name society of the Sacred Heart parish attended the 7.30 o'clock mass yesterday and received holy communion in a body.

At the high mass Rev. James T. McDermott, O. M. I., was celebrant and Rev. John P. Flynn, O. M. I., preached the sermon. The speaker also took occasion to thank the committees and the parishioners who assisted in raising funds for the recent campaign. He also announced that on Tuesday morning mass will be offered for all those who contributed.

The musical program was featured by John McMahon and George Kerwin. Both singers were in fine voice and the piece was rendered in a very impressive manner.

Th Holy Rosary sodality will hold its annual entertainment in the school hall on Thursday evening. An excellent program has been arranged for the event and a large attendance is expected.

St. Margaret's

A public novena in honor of St. Rita will be opened in St. Margaret's church tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock, with impressive ceremonies. A relic of St. Rita has been procured from Rome, and during the novena this will be exposed for the veneration of the parishioners.

At the opening services tomorrow evening a sermon will be preached by Rev. William D. Whalen of St. Peter and Paul's church, South Boston, an eloquent preacher.

St. Columba's

Rev. Fr. John A. Degan, pastor of St. Columba's made many important announcements at the masses in that church yesterday. There will be a meeting of the Tabernacle society at 8 p. m. to talk over important business. Tomorrow evening at 8 there will be a smoke talk and business meeting of the Holy Name society at which Mr. James C. Reilly, Esq. will give an address. There will be a whist party in aid of the church next Thursday evening at 8 in the parish hall. At the last mass yesterday, Rev. Fr. Degan expressed himself as much gratified at the result of the parish reunion which took place last week.

St. Michael's

The parish mass of St. Michael's church was celebrated yesterday by Rev. Fr. Denis F. Murphy and the sermon was preached by Rev. Francis Mullin, who spoke eloquently on the gospel of the day. There was a meeting of the junior branch of the Holy Name society yesterday afternoon at 3 p. m.

STEAMER IS STRANDED

ALL EFFORTS TO PULL BRITISH VESSEL FROM SANDBAR FAILED TODAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—All efforts to pull the British tramp steamer Queen Luise from the sandbar off the Seaight, N. J., beach failed this morning. Three wrecking tugs and the revenue cutter Itasca stood by the stranded steamer all night. The derelict destroyer Sonoma returned to this port today from the scene of the wreck for new hawsers, having broken all she carried.

$200,000

Removal Sale

TODAY'S MARKDOWNS

We are continually finding further items that should be reduced in price. The following are today's drastic cuts.

BOYS' $1.50 SCHOOL SHOES at.....98c
Black and tan calfskin, blucher style, also some high storm shoes.

MEN'S $2.00 and $2.50 SHOES at....$1.59
Gun metal, blucher and button, wide last.

WOMEN'S $1.00 and $1.25 WARM SHOES at.....69c
Warm lined shoes, in leather or felt tops, with leather sole.

GIRLS' $1.50 SCHOOL SHOES at....$1.00
Black and tan calfskin, made on nature shape last; all sizes up to 2.

$6 and $8 SERGE DRESSES, Each...$3.75
All Serge Dresses that sold at these prices put in one lot. All sizes in the lot, one or two of a style.

$8.00 and $10.00 COATS at.....$2.89
22 Coats put in at this price, mostly small sizes, different styles.

$6.00 to $8.00 RAINCOATS at, Each...$3.89
Every Raincoat that sold at these prices in this lot, about 32 coats, in all colors.

$2.00 and $3.00 SILK PETTICOATS $1.69
73 Petticoats of heavy Messaline, with or without dust ruffle; all lengths and shades.

69c to $1.00 WAISTS.....25c
About 25 dozen Waists that sold at these prices put in this morning from our regular lines.

WANTED—Saturday Afternoon and Evening Salespeople in the Shoe Department.

MEN'S GENUINE 25c INTERWOVEN HALF HOSE—In silk lisle thread, double heel, sole and toe, all colors, light and heavy weight, all sizes. Removal price, a Pair 17c

MEN'S 50c BLUE BELL CHAMBRAY WORKING SHIRTS—With collar on, made extra big and long. Removal price.....39c

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Ladies' Silk Lisle Hose, slightly imperfect, all sizes.
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Misses' Dresses, made of galatea, percalo and gingham, fancy trimmed, sizes 6 to 14 years.
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MAN WAS BRUTALLY ATTACKED BY THUGS

Edward Campbell of Summer St. Set Upon by Men Who Asked Him for Money—Was Kicked and Pounded

One of the most brutal assaults that this city has known for a long time took place in Middlesex street a few nights ago when Eddie Campbell of Summer street was kicked and pounded into insensibility by three thugs. Mr. Campbell's body is a mass of bruises and in one cut in his head it was necessary to take nine stitches.

To a reporter for The Sun, today, Mr. Campbell, after considerable urging, told the following story: "It was about 11.30 o'clock at night that I was walking up Middlesex street when at the street leading down to the Appleton mills a fellow grabbed me by the lapel of my coat and pulled me in from Middlesex street. He asked me for a quarter and I told him I did not have any money to give him. Immediately upon refusing his request I was struck on the head and knocked insensible.

"I do not know who picked me up, but when I came to I was at home with nine stitches in my head and my right side was black and blue from my shoulder down. When I was pulled into the street leading to the mill I could see three men standing there. They gave me an unmerciful beating, but I have not said anything about it because I did not want the notoriety."

Mr. Campbell bared his side to the reporter, removed some bandages and showed his bruises. He also showed the cut on his head and with great fortitude, said: "I am glad that I'm living. I think they must have meant to finish me."

ALL ARRAYED FOR BATTLE

Parliamentary Forces Line Up for the Most Exciting Fray in Many Years

LONDON, Feb. 9.—The full fighting forces of the various British political parties, in response to the urgent demands of their leaders, arrived here today for the opening of parliament. The session beginning tomorrow promises to be one of the most exciting of many years.

Practically every member of the house of commons will be present as serious illness is the only excuse accepted by the whips for non-attendance.

A large muster also is expected in the house of lords since the battle against home rule and other government measures is to be carried on simultaneously in both chambers.

The unionist leaders who held another meeting today decided to make Ulster's opposition to home rule, the paramount issue and according to current reports will refuse to allow discussion of any other subject in the hope of thus forcing the government to dissolve parliament and refer the Irish home rule question to the people.

Both in the house of commons and in the house of lords amendments are to be moved to the address in reply to the king's speech from the throne. These will express regret that nothing has been done to satisfy the demands of Ulster.

Should these amendments fail to move the government, the house of lords will send an address to the king in support of an appeal to the country and will withhold their consent to the army annual bill and the expiring laws continuance bill, thus playing havoc with the normal processes of parliament and leaving the country without any authorized armed force and with many of its laws in suspense.

While Premier Asquith has not disclosed his intentions, the more moderate liberals have advised him to make immediately after the opening of parliament a statement explaining what concessions he is prepared to offer to Ulster and asking for a candid reply from the opposition as to what they consider satisfactory.

Only 15c, Prescott, tonight.

For Boys

Ask your doctor how often he prescribes an alcoholic stimulant for children. He will probably say, "Very, very rarely." Ask him how often he prescribes a tonic for them. He will probably answer, "Very, very frequently." Then ask him about Ayer's non-alcoholic Sarsaparilla.
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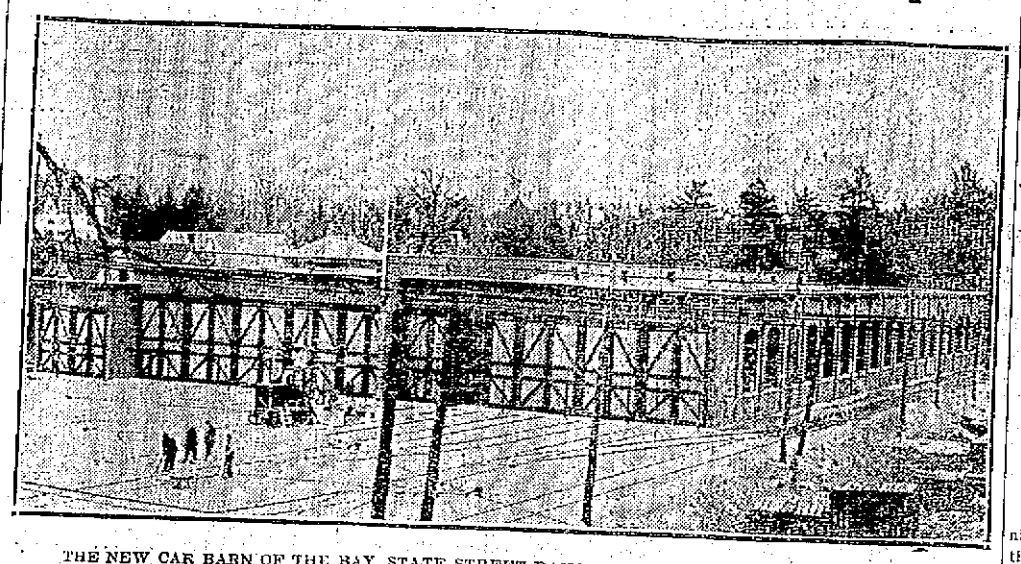

THE NEW CAR BARN OF THE BAY STATE STREET RAILWAY COMPANY ON MIDDLESEX STREET

The new car house of the Bay State Street railway, located on Middlesex street, near Burnside street, is practically completed and from now on most of the cars used by the Bay State company will be stored in the new building. The old house will be kept, however, but in the future it will not be necessary to station any of the cars on side tracks during the night and the congested condition at the old barn will be greatly relieved.

The new building is one of the most modern of its kind in the country and is built on the same plan as the Boston & Maine repair shops in Billerica. It is a massive structure 288 feet long and 145 feet wide and stands about 40 feet high. All of the floors are built of concrete and everything is up-to-date.

The construction work was started last March and men have been busy from that time until now getting the building ready for occupancy. A few painters are at work at the plant today putting the finishing touches on the posts on the inside of the building.

The building is divided into two sections one of which will be used for storing cars that are not taken out regularly. The other section can accommodate about 30 cars and it is expected that it will be filled every night. The cars to be repaired will be brought in on the tracks and as the pits are large the mechanics can get under the cars and work with ease. All of the electric wiring is covered with pipe and the whole building will be exceedingly well lighted so that any kind of repair work can be done during the night.

An automatic sprinkler system has been installed and all parts of the building are well protected from fire. The whole building will be heated by hot-water. The boilers are located in the eastern side of the plant.

About two miles of track have been laid in the new car barn and this is divided into ten different lengths. Each track is connected with the Middlesex street car line and it is very convenient for the men to run their cars into the barn for the night.

Most of the clerical work that was formerly done in the old house has been transferred into the new building and the various departments now have suitable quarters in the part known as the "lean-to." George Bannister will have general supervision of the whole plant and John McMillan will have charge of the repair work.

B. & M. CAR SHOPS START WITH 300 MEN

Merrimack square was thronged with hundreds of strange men before sunrise this morning. They were all strangers, the men who came here Saturday from Keene, N. H., to go to work in the new repair shops of the Boston & Maine.

They were indeed a happy lot and made all manner of fun as they boarded special cars for the scene of their labors. The street railway men realized they had to contend with a rather unusual proposition, but they proved equal to the emergency and had the necessary extra cars ready on schedule time.

At the Shops

The doors of the big repair shops of the Boston & Maine Railroad Co. in Billerica were thrown open to the workmen this morning and about 300 men were assigned to duty. Over half of these people who arrived in Lowell Saturday morning have hired rooms in this city and they will travel to the cars shops by electric cars, their first trip being made this morning at 6.10 o'clock from Merrimack square.

The Bay State Street Railway Co. had made arrangements to take care of the many early passengers, and in

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SUSPENDED BY GOETHALS

MANAGER OF COMMISSARY DEPARTMENT AT PANAMA DISCHARGED TODAY

PANAMA, Feb. 9.—Colonel George Goethals, chairman of the Panama canal commission, this afternoon suspended John Burke, manager of the commissary department, at the conclusion of the hearings which gave Burke a chance to clear himself of the charges of accepting gratuities and of alleged irregular business transactions.

Colonel Goethals also suspended W. E. Shipley, clerk of the subsistence department, the reason given being incompetence.

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS

WILL BE PROMOTED ON MERITS ACCORDING TO THE NEW SYSTEM

All railway clerks in this city have received word that a merit system for promotion among all railway clerks has been established and although the announcement was not made public until today, the system went into effect January 1.

Under the new system every employe of the railway mail service will be treated as a creditor of the government for work well done and as a debtor for work not properly done. It is a system of credits and demerits, so that at any particular time a man will be able to find out just how he stands with the government.

Every violation of the rules and every mistake will be charged against the employe, it is said, but not until he is notified and given an opportunity to explain. Every time a member of the service gets a demerit he is told about it in advance. He will also be notified of credits, such as are received in his regular examinations during the year.

Mr. John J. Sullivan, Lowell's leading tailor, with offices in The Sun building, and Mrs. Sullivan left today for Richmond, Va., where they will attend the annual convention of the Merchant Tailors National association.

Come to Prescott hall, tonight.

WOLF BIT TWO PERSONS

HALF STARVED ANIMAL CAUSED GREAT EXCITEMENT — KILLED BY POLICEMAN

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 9.—A large, half starved gray wolf after biting two persons, frightening a score of others and spreading consternation through a staid residential district, was shot and killed on Linwod boulevard here today. The wolf sprang at Miss Anna Harrison, as she waited for a street car. Miss Harrison threw her muff at the animal and while the garment was being torn to pieces she escaped into a house. Her clothing was torn but she was unhurt. The wolf ran down the boulevard, pursued by a milkman, who hurled milk bottles as he ran. Two blocks further on the animal bit a negro in the leg. Afterwards he attacked Samuel Harnon and bit him severely. Policeman Patrick O'Brien ended the excitement by running up and sending a bullet through the animal's head.

LEARNS BURGLARY BY BOOKS

August Kaufman on Trial in Boston, Studied Safe Blowing in the Library

BOSTON, Feb. 9—August Kaufman, on trial for burglary, obtained his knowledge of safes and the use of explosives in opening them from books in the Boston public library, according to evidence introduced today at his trial.

In the "third degree" examination of Kaufman after his arrest it was stated by officers today, the prisoner said, that by reading books at the library he learned how to manipulate the combinations of safes. He said that he operated alone, as he considered the work too dangerous for confederates.

NEW HAVEN CRISIS

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—The Stockholders' protective committee of the New York, New Haven & Hartford road dissolved today after being in existence about 10 months. The committee will return proxies to shareholders at once. The committee was organized to look after the interests of the stockholders during what seemed to be a crisis in the financial history of the company.

A member of the local Italian colony sends profuse thanks to The Sun for favors received through Commissioner Carmichael.

BENJ. E. PICKETT MARRIED

MANAGER OF KEITH'S THEATRE AND MISS WOOD UNITED IN MARRIAGE

Benjamin E. Pickett, manager of Keith's theatre, this city, and Miss Franklyn E. Wood of Dorchester, were married yesterday in the parochial residence of the Immaculate Conception church by the Rev. Lawrence F. Tighe, O. M. I., pastor of the Immaculate Conception church. Miss Wood was formerly with the Temple players who filled a very successful engagement at the Merrimack Square theatre.

THE POTOMAC SIGHTED

CURDING, N. F., Feb. 9.—The United States naval tug Potomac, for which considerable anxiety has been felt, was sighted on Saturday in an ice floe five miles west of Bay of Islands. Observation from shore has been prevented since then by a snow storm. When the Potomac abandoned her attempt on Thursday to liberate American ice-bound fishing vessels she was short of coal. The vessel had been unable to obtain any fuel since.

WHITE SLAVERY CHARGED

BANGOR, Me., Feb. 9.—Herbert E. Reed, charged with violation of the white slave law, was brought here this afternoon by Deputy U. S. Marshal Burton Smith and Sheriff Brown of Piscataquis county. He was at once taken to the office of United States Commissioner Reid for arraignment.

RELEASES FROM JAIL

Rodolfo Reyes, Former Mexican Deputy, Was Arrested on November 11, 1913

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 9.—Rodolfo Reyes, former minister of justice, one of the Mexican deputies arrested on Nov. 11 last year when Provisional President Huerta broke up the Mexican congress by casting a large number of its members into jail, was released today from the penitentiary by order of the investigating court, which found there was no evidence on which he could be longer held.

Reyes is a son of the Gen. Bernardo Reyes, a former secretary of war, who was killed during an attack on the national palace by Gen. Felix Diaz a year ago and had been leader of an unsuccessful revolution against the late President Madero a year earlier.

FEDERAL INVESTIGATION

HEARING OF TESTIMONY OF COLORADO COAL MINERS BEGAN TODAY

DENVER, Feb. 9.—Hearing of testimony in the federal investigation of the Colorado coal miners' strike began in the senate chamber of the state capital today. The sub committee of the house committee on mines and mining which arrived from Washington yesterday will hold hearings in Denver and at Trinidad, Pueblo, Boulder and other points, to determine whether federal statutes have been violated and to determine upon recommendations for the settlement of the Colorado strike and the prevention of future labor struggles.

CONG. BREMNER BURIED

FUNERAL OF MAN WHO UNDERWENT RADIUM TREATMENT FOR CANCER

PASSAIC, N. J., Feb. 9.—The funeral services of the late Congressman G. Bremner, who died last week of cancer after undergoing the radium treatment as a last resort, were held day at the Bremner home here. Representatives of the United States congress and various state officials were present, among them Gov. Fielder.

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Third Edition

CITY COUNCIL TRYING TO SLASH ESTIMATES

Made Poor Success on Saturday and Are Making Another Try Today—Grade Crossing Hearing—Other City Hall News

The five men who constitute the municipal council are endeavoring, so they say, to hew to the line on the departmental estimates for the year. They held a private conference Saturday afternoon and another today and according to all accounts they did not succeed in reducing the total amount to any very appreciable extent. Mayor Murphy stated this morning that the estimates would not be discussed in open meeting until the council had decided and agreed upon the total cut. "We went over the estimates at considerable length, on Saturday," said the mayor, "but we did not succeed in reducing the grand total very much. We are going to try it again today. We instructed the auditor to prepare a statement showing the appropriations for 1913, the increase in labor, etc., this year and with a statement prepared in this way we are going to try and make a cut that will apply to the estimates as presented. I do not believe in cutting where the money is actually needed. I believe in a constructive rather than a destructive policy. We hope to be able to get the estimates in shape so that we may take final action upon them at tomorrow's meeting of the municipal council."

Grade Crossing Hearing

The special commission appointed for the purpose of taking evidence in the matter having to do with the abolition of the grade crossings in Middlesex and Fletcher streets will give a hearing at city hall on Saturday morning next at 10 o'clock. The commission will hear persons who have anything to offer relative to the abolition of the crossings along the line of urgency and necessity as it applies to public convenience. The commission, consisting of Geo. F. Swain, Esq., chairman; Nelson Brown, Esq., and Patrick F. Cooney, Esq., will in all probability take a view of the premises in order to familiarize themselves with conditions as they at present exist and the effect of the proposed change.

State Board of Health

The municipal council in all probability will not attend the hearing to be given by the commission on grade crossings as the council has a date with the state board of health at 10 a. m., Saturday. Members of the state board are going to view the different sites offered for sale and gratis to the city for a contagious hospital. The visit was to have been made last Saturday but was postponed on account of the weather and if the weather should prove other than propitious next Saturday the visit will be again postponed. When the visit is made it is planned by Commissioner Morse to have the municipal council take special notice of the condition of the streets over which the party will pass. This will not mean much, perhaps, if the appropriations have been decided by that time.

Paving Gorham Street

There is a bare possibility that after the estimates have been trimmed, to the queen's taste, as the saying goes, considerable of the street work planned for this year will be allowed to go by the boards. It looks, from the street, as if the council would do one of two things, cut a very thin slice or cut deep. If it's a deep cut the street department will have sore flanks. The city engineer is busy on estimates for the paving of Gorham street from Davis square to Corbett street, and this is the biggest street job proposed for 1914. If the street department gets the hook, good and plenty, this job will have to go over for another year.

Civil Service Examinations

There will be a number of civil service examinations held at city hall this week and for Thursday the city messenger has been asked to set aside the new and old councilmanic chambers for examinations for police and janitors. The civil service commission has also asked for the use of the councilmanic chamber on Wednesday but the notice does not state what the examination will be.

Miner's at Asso., Lincoln's birthday.

WILSON JOINS FEDERALS

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—Arthur Wilson (second string) catcher with the Giants last year, has become a member of the Toronto Federals, it was learned this afternoon at Federal headquarters here.

ITALIAN WARSHIPS COMING

NAPLES, Feb. 9.—Orders were received today from the Italian minister of marine for the preparation of a squadron of Italian war vessels to participate in the international naval gathering in connection with the opening of the Panama canal.

THE INITIATIVE PAPERS

TEN DAYS ALLOWED BY CHARTER TO FILE SUPPLEMENTAL NAMES

It would seem that the remonstrants to the Dr. Pillsbury estate as a site for a contagious disease hospital refuse to read aright that section of the charter having to do with the initiative. Section 60 of the charter, as amended, deals with the initiative and the language is very plain. It doesn't require the service of a Philadelphia lawyer to properly interpret it, but, with the opponents to the Pillsbury estate as a hospital site it looks like a case of the man convinced against his will being of the same opinion still.

Beginning at line 54 of section 60 the following appears: "Such petitions shall be signed (meaning the initiative petitions), sworn to as to signatures, examined, re-examined, presented to the municipal council, shall have the city clerk's certificate of sufficiency or insufficiency attached thereto, and may be supplemented in the same manner as petitions filed under section fifty-nine."

Now we turn to section fifty-nine to ascertain what is written there and we read, beginning at line 24: "If, from the city clerk's certificate the petition appears not to be signed by the requisite number of voters, it may be supplemented, within ten days after the date of such certificate, by other papers, signed and sworn to as aforesaid, and all other papers containing a like demand and statement, and signed and sworn to as aforesaid, shall be deemed supplemental to the original petition."

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PARLIAMENTARY BATTLE

In British Parliament Will Open Tomorrow — Home Rule the Leading Issue

LONDON, Feb. 10—After the longest vacation that members have enjoyed since the liberal party came into power eight years ago, parliament reassembles tomorrow for a session that promises to be full of hard work and excitement. There are not only the home rule and the Welsh disestablishment bills, which come up for third passage and then to become law despite anything the lords may do, but there is a great mass of other business which will compel the government to fight continuously to hold the confidence of the house of commons. From start to finish of a session a British government must keep on the alert to prevent an adverse vote, which, if it has the backing of a majority of the members, means the retirement of the ministry. The danger will be more acute than ever during this session.

Under Fire

From the moment that King George leaves the house of lords after delivering his speech from the throne, opening the proceedings, the government will be under fire, not only from their unionist opponents, but on several questions from liberals as well. Fortunately for the government, it probably will have the support of many unionists on the questions that th revolting radicals will choose for their attacks.

The session will open with debate on the reply to the speech from the throne. This reply outlines the government's measures and members of the house are privileged to criticise it at any point they desire. For example, some member may move an amendment expressing regret that the government did not accept the invitation to have an official British exhibit at the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco. It is expected such a motion will be made and it probably will receive considerable support.

But the real test of government strength is more likely to be taken on some more important subject. Some way will probably be found for bringing up the Irish question, although the home rule bill is already before parliament and is therefore excluded from this preliminary debate on the government's program. A motion might be made, however, regretting that the negotiations for settling the Ulster situation had failed and this would mean a test vote.

Every unionist member has been requested to be present on the opening day and no pairs with opponents are being granted ,so it appears certain that the opposition plans to force the government to either resign or dissolve parliament.

The Ulster faction under Sir Edward Carson will start upon a policy of obstruction by which if possible the government may be forced into a dissolution.

The government forces, however, are still unbroken and it is expected the ministry will be able to weather every storm.

TONSILS GOOD FRIENDS

DOCTOR CAUTIONS AGAINST TENDENCY OF PRESENT DAY PHYSICIANS TO REMOVE THEM

BOSTON, Feb. 7.—The tendency of present day doctors to urge the removal of tonsils for the most trivial throat trouble was cautioned against by Dr. Algernon Coolidge, Jr., in a lecture at the Harvard Medical school yesterday.

He defined a very important function that he considered tonsils might perform in the throat of a human being. The mouth and nose, he said, are the only portals for the body as a protection against disease. The tissue, or tonsils, that surround these portals take all germs passing through and "hold them away in its crypts.

"It is highly probable," added the doctor, "that here in the crypts of the tonsils is generated the anti-toxin that makes us immune from certain diseases that surround us." At any rate, the tonsils may be of use, and as long as they do no harm should be left alone, was his contention.

"Up to 20 years ago there were no operations for tonsils," said Dr. Coolidge. "Yet it is not a new disease that affects this tissue and gives reason for the modern operation. The good results of such operations and the fact that it involves little or no danger tempts the physicians to recommend the removal of tonsils too frequently.

"It has become a popular operation. A simple attack of tonsilitis or a sore throat should not be sufficient grounds for this operation.

"An important factor is the seriousness of the trouble. If the patient is threatened with a serious disease it would be a matter of neglect not to perform this simple surgery. If the tonsils are very large and are swollen frequently, if there are frequent attacks of tonsilitis or recurring abscesses, then there should be immediate cause for an operation.

"The same is true of adenoids. If a child shows persistent breathing through the mouth, snoring at night or symptoms of deafness, an examination would probably show that the adenoids are at fault.

"Washes and sprays cannot be depended upon. They are all right if the trouble is on the surface of the mucous membrane, but if the trouble lies deep beneath the surface, in the crypts of the tonsils for instance, the only remedy is to resort to surgery.

"The operation should be considered seriously and only submitted to when one is convinced that recurring sickness is due to diseased tonsils. A perfect healthy tonsil would be found to contain innumerable germs and bacteria upon examination. That is the part I believe the tonsils play in the mouth. Instead of the germs passing into our system they seize readily upon the tonsils. Unless there is a leakage from the crypts into the tissue and substance behind them, the tonsils care for the bacteria and no harm is done."

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A well attended meeting of Knights of Equity, court 53, was held yesterday afternoon in the Harrington building. Considerable routine business was transacted and several new members were initiated into the the order. The inability of the installing officers to be present at the meeting necessitated the postponement of the scheduled installation till Tuesday evning, Feb. 17.

Lowell Council, K. of C.

The committee in charge of the coming party of the Knights of Columbus held a meeting in the rooms on Anne street yesterday afternoon and final arrangements for the affair were made. It was announced that a whist tournament would be run in connection with the event and prizes will be awarded to the winners. The members are planning on forming a glee club.

Tired Blood

That which is lacking in vitality, debilitated, weak and thin, cannot possibly give proper nourishment and strength—it must be purified, built up and vitalized by HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA.

Y. M. C. I. LEAGUE

Two Good Games of Basketball Played Off Saturday

Two good basketball contests were played off Saturday in the Y. M. C. I. league, the Blues defeating the Reds, and the Whites winning their game from the Greens. Both games were close throughout and interesting enough to hold the attention of the large crowd.

Kennefick and Lyons starred for the Blues, and the shooting of Linehan for the Whites was the feature of that contest. McMahon and Haggerty also played well in this game. The scores and summaries of the two games:

BLUES	REDS
Lyons lf	rb Clark
Kennefick rf	lb Curtin
Maguire c	c Shields
Chappell rb	lf O'Neil
O'Donnell, Bilodeau lb	rf Rheault, Conroy

Score: Blues 25, Reds 22. Baskets from the floor: Lyons 5, Kennefick 5, O'Neil 4, Chappell 3, T. Clark 2, Shields 2, Conroy 2. Points on fouls: Reds 2, Blues 2. Referee: P. Clark.

WHITES	GREENS
Linnehan rf	lb McCartin
Logan lf	rb Haggerty
McMahon c	c F. Haggerty
Beane, Bradley rb	lf Beane
Gilligan lb	rf Jarrett

Score: Whites 36, Greens 32. Baskets from the floor: Linnehan 9, McMahon 6, F. Haggerty 5, Logan 4, Jarrett 4, Beane 3, McCartin 3. Points in fouls: Greens 2. Referee: King.

DROPPED DEAD IN AUTO

BRIGHTON PHYSICIAN EXPIRED WHILE RIDING WITH HIS WIFE AND FRIEND

BOSTON, Feb 9.—Dr. Horace Eugene Marion, of 5 Sparhawk street, Brighton, a well known physician, clubman and Civil war surgeon, dropped dead while riding in his limousine on Commonwealth avenue early last evening, in company with his wife and a woman friend.

Dr. Marion had shown no signs of failing health, although he was 70 years of age. He has practised his profession for over 40 years in Greater Boston.

Dr. Marion was a surgeon in the Civil war, and for some time director and surgeon in the Massachusetts National Guards. He was also Boston school inspector for a while, past grand warden of the Grand lodge of Massachusetts Masons, a graduate of Dartmouth Medical school in 1863, and a member of the state board of health Associates.

He was also a prominent clubman, and belonged to many medical societies. His wife, one son, Gardiner, and a daughter, Eva, survive him. He has been a resident of Brighton since January, 1870.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TO EXTEND CIVIL SERVICE

TO THE APPOINTIVE POSITIONS OF THE VARIOUS COUNTIES—SEVERAL BILLS IN

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—"A determined effort will be made this year," said Secretary Arthur H. Brooks of the Massachusetts Civil Service association, Saturday, "to bring the appointive positions of the various counties of the commonwealth within the civil service laws and rules. And from present indications, it looks as though this effort would be successful.

"The number of bills which have been introduced this year calling for the extension of the civil service laws and rules to those positions show clearly enough the trend of public opinion. There is, of course, no sound reason why these positions should not be under the merit system.

"If a clerk in a department on one side of the building is working for the state and therefore is classified, why should a clerk doing similar work for the county in another part of the building not be classified?

"Fitness for the appointive position to the county should be the sole test and the test of such fitness should be the civil service examination, not the political pull.

"The uprisings against the so-called county rings that have taken place in various parts of the state have stirred up public sentiment in favor of taking the appointive offices of the counties out of politics. The introduction this year of a group of bills extending the civil service law to appointive positions in the counties is one of the first results of an awakened public demand for efficiency in the administration of county affairs."

The interest in these bills is so great that the public service committee of the legislature has assigned the entire morning of March 5th for the hearing on them. It is a little unusual for the committee to mark its calendar so far ahead, but the committee wishes to give proponents and opponents of the measures plenty of time to marshal their arguments.

THIEF SNATCHES MUFF

RITA MYERS, SEVENTH VICTIM OF SNATCH THIEF OPERATING IN SOMERVILLE

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Rita Myers, 17, of 258 Willow avenue, Somerville, is the seventh victim of the snatch thief who has been operating so extensively and successfully in West Somerville during the past fortnight.

While on her way to church last night a young man walked up to her on Highland avenue near Henry avenue and said that he was going to walk along with her. At the same time he put his right arm in her left arm, which he held firmly and with the other hand snatched the white muff which the young woman was carrying and ran away.

The man ran down Hancock street to the Somerville Highlands station of the Boston & Maine railroad, where he took to the tracks and was lost sight of by his pursuers, who were attracted by the screams of the young woman. In his hurry to get away the fellow dropped the muff and it was picked up on Hancock street.

ADMITS MANY THEFTS

MAN ARRESTED IN LAWRENCE CONFESSES TO ROBBING STORES ALL OVER NEW ENGLAND

LAWRENCE, Feb. 9.—Mysterious shoe store robberies in many New England towns are explained, in the opinion of Captain W. H. Proctor of the state police, through the seizure here yesterday of 210 pairs of shoes from the shop of Samuel and James Tarallo and the alleged confession of Charles E. Green, who was arrested at Windsor, Vt., after a burglary there. The Tarallos gave bonds in $300 each on a charge of receiving stolen goods.

Vermont officials who accompanied the state officer here said Green mentioned in his confession burglaries in Milford, Northbridge, Norfolk, East Brookfield, South Deerfield, Essex, Upton, Northfield and Uxbridge, and also in towns in Connecticut, New Hampshire and Maine.

CONFERENCE ON UNEMPLOYMENT

A national conference on unemployment will be held in New York on Feb. 27 and 28 under the joint auspices of the American Section of the International Association on Unemployment and the American Association for Labor Legislation. Mayor John Purroy Mitchel of New York will open the conference in the city hall on the morning of Feb. 27, and mayors of the principal industrial cities as well as governors of states have appointed delegates.

Reports upon recent employment conditions will form an interesting part of the opening session, but the principal emphasis of the conference, according to the program, will be on constructive proposals for prevention of unemployment. The program includes a public meeting Friday evening, Feb. 27, in Cooper Union in joint session with the People's Institute. A prominent feature of the second day will be the discussion of plans for immediate action in the various cities and states and a luncheon meeting for the delegates at the City club at which there will be several short addresses and reports of committees.

Charles R. Crane, chairman of the Chicago commission on the unemployed, is president of the American section, and among the other officers are Henry S. Dennison of Boston, Chas. P. Neill, ex-commissioner of the federal bureau of labor, John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers, and Prof. Chas. R. Henderson, secretary of the Chicago Unemployment commission. The president of the International Association on Unemployment is Leon Bourgeois, formerly president of the French council of ministers. The vice president is Richard Freund, head of the German Association of Employment Bureaus, and the secretaries are Louis Varlez, inventor of the "Ghent System," and Dr. Max Lazard of Paris. W. H. Beveridge of the British board of trade, the leading English authority, is also prominent in the movement abroad.

The association, organized in 1912, publishes a quarterly journal, and its purpose as stated in the by-laws is "To coordinate the efforts made to combat unemployment and its consequences, to organize studies, to give information to the public, and to take the initiative in shaping improved legislation and administration, and practical action in times of urgent need." The secretary, Dr. John B. Andrews, with headquarters at 131 East 23rd street, New York, announces that 19 American states and eight cities have already established free public employment bureaus while several official commissions are at work on the problem. Illinois has a state commission, in addition to the municipal commission in Chicago, and Governor Dunne has appointed the following state delegates to the national conference in New York: Hon. John Barton Payne, Chicago; Mr. John Fitzpatrick, Chicago; Mr. John H. Walker, Springfield; Mr. H. P. Simpson, Rock Island.

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In two popular styles, trimmed with lace and hamburg, V and square neck. Regular price 50c. Price for today only..... 39c

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PROFESSOR O'NEILL DEAD

MUSICIAN AND COMPOSER WHO TAUGHT MME. NORDICA BURIED TODAY

SHARON, Feb. 9.—Prof. John O'Neill, musician, composer and musical critic, prominent in Boston musical circles for many years, is dead at his South Pleasant street residence in this town. John O'Neill has made his home here since his retirement from active work about 15 years ago.

Prof. John O'Neill was born at Clonmel, Ire., March 15, 1829. He was educated at Dublin college of Music and in Italy. He was for many years a teacher at the New England Conservatory of Music at Boston. His most famous pupil is Mme. Lillian Nordica, who recently came to this town and spent the day singing for her old master. The funeral services will be held today.

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LAWYERS IN LIVELY TILT

Clash at Public Service Commissioner's Investigation of New Haven's Publicity Expenses

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—A defense of his action in handling advertising matter for the New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co. while he was a member of the legislature was made by Representative Cleveland Chandler, an advertising agent, at the public service commission's investigation of the road's publicity expense today. Mr. Chandler, who testified on Friday that he had received more than $3000 last year for New Haven advertising, said he merely followed the method of other agencies. The railroad company, he said, prepared the advertising matter and he saw that it was placed and collected from the road the money with which to pay for it. The appearance on the witness stand of E. D. Robbins of New Haven, general counsel for the railroad company, precipitated a lively argument between W. A. Coolidge, one of the road's attorneys and A. D. Hill, a lawyer representing the Boston Journal. Mr. Hill wished Mr. Coolidge to examine Mr. Robbins after which Mr. Hill would cross-examine the witness, but Mr. Coolidge refused.

Mr. Robbins testified that he was the head of the New Haven company's legal department and that although he had placed his initials on vouchers that were shown him he had no intimate knowledge of what services had been performed for the payment indicated by the voucher. His approval of the payments was merely a matter of form.

Most of the railroad's attorneys were hired by him, he said, although he did not engage Arthur P. Russell, who, according to witnesses at previous sessions of the investigation was the road's executive council last year.

Mr. Robbins said that the only attorney he had engaged in Massachusetts recently was Charles F. Choate, who was asked to represent the railroad at the hearings before Charles Prouty of the interstate commerce commission last spring.

PANAMA CANAL TOLLS

PRESIDENT WILSON IS OPPOSED TO EXEMPTION OF AMERICAN COASTWISE SHIPS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—President Wilson let it be known today that from the first he regarded as an unwise policy the insertion in the democratic national platform of the plank favoring the exemption of American coastwise ships from the payment of Panama canal tolls. The president feels that a platform declaration on such a subject is related to one which can arise all over the world as well as in the United States and that only in the element which the United States can control the situation ought to be binding.

Mr. Wilson told callers today that the whole international situation and the point of view of foreign governments was to some extent involved in the settlement of the controversy. He intimated that platform declarations should be limited to matters of domestic policy and should not embrace relations with foreign governments.

It is said to be the president's views that treaty relations with other nations might be embarrassed if what is construed as a violation of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty were to be insisted on by the United States.

It was made clear, however, that only Great Britain had protested. The president told callers that Great Britain through her representatives had not approached the American government on the question in any way since Viscount Bryce left here a year ago.

The president told callers he did not intend to send a message to congress on the subject of Panama tolls; that he felt his attitude had been made sufficiently clear in a recent letter to W. L. Marbury of Baltimore. He expects congress to repeal the tolls provision during the present session any may confer soon with Rep. Adamson of the house committee on commerce, which should have charge of such legislation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barrett of Chelmsford Centre are rejoicing on the birth of a daughter, born last Thursday.

The many friends of Mrs. H. J. Hunt of 67 Mammoth road will be pained to learn that she is confined to her home suffering from pneumonia.

FRESNO DAN RECOVERING

OLD RUSSELL HOUSE IS NOW OPEN TO VISITORS FOR FIRST TIME IN FIVE YEARS

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—For the first time since the famous Russell will case started five years ago the bars of secrecy that hedged the mansion of the late Senator Daniel Russell, founder of the contested fortune, were let down yesterday.

The last of the detectives which so long guarded the mysteries of the interior of the house from all but a privileged few has been sent away, and life in the home so long shadowed has resumed a normal course.

But possibility of a resumption has just been threatened through the likelihood of dangerous sickness of "Fresno Dan" Russell, the accepted heir and new proprietor.

He has been suffering with a painful abscess in the throat, it was learned for the first time yesterday, and for a while it looked as if his condition might take a grave turn. He has been under constant medical care for some time and rumors spread in Melrose that he was fatally ill.

These proved exaggerated, as "Fresno Dan" himself told a reporter yesterday, chatting with him in the noted parlor, the location of whose every book and picture and chair played such an important part in establishing the rightful heir.

The whole attitude of distrust and gloom which has shrouded the place has at last been swept away, as far as possible, by "Fresno Dan," and Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand B. Almy, who are making their home with him.

Anxious inquiries after Fresno Dan's health are asked by Mr. Almy to "come in and see for themselves."

"I have really not been seriously ill," Fresno told the reporter. "The abscess in my throat has been very painful, but is now better. I have had to take care of myself."

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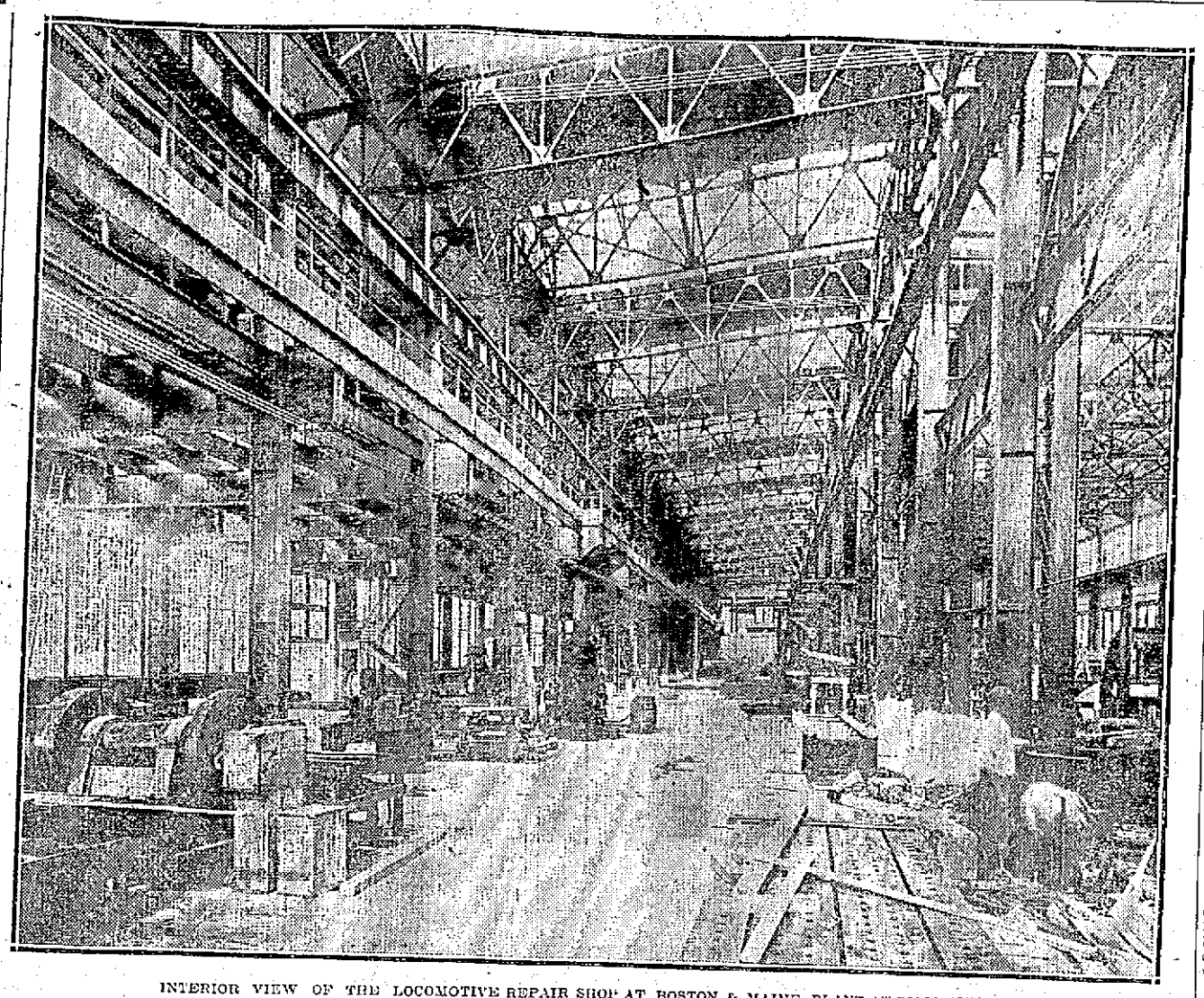

INTERIOR VIEW OF THE LOCOMOTIVE REPAIR SHOP AT BOSTON & MAINE PLANT AT BILLERICA

B. & M. CAR SHOPS

Continued

order not to delay the regular traffic of the cars on the Boston line, a new cross-over has been installed near the junction of the Boston road and High street in Billerica.

The merry crowd of workmen left Merrimack square in five special cars this morning and the scene at the square was something in the nature of a picnic.

The party consisted of young men and old men, all experienced workers in their respective lines. The cars arrived at the stopping place about 6.45 o'clock and then the men covered the distance to the shop on foot, a good 15 minutes' walk.

The workmen reported at the office of the company and from there they were assigned to the different foremen in the locomotive plant. Work was started soon after 7 o'clock and for the first time the whistle of the large repair shop was blown. The men were immediately assigned to their respective jobs and before noon the machinery was running smoothly and from the sound of the hammers, the whirr of machinery and the general surroundings, one might imagine the plant had been running for weeks.

Some time of course was spent in the distribution of men to their various tasks, but the bosses and foremen are good disciplinarians and they soon had all details arranged for the day's work.

A number of those who arrived in Lowell Saturday from Keene and Concord, N. H. have been successful in hiring rooms in Billerica, but others who prefer city life came directly to Lowell and have secured suitable quarters. The only inconvenience for all workmen is the long walk from the car tracks to the shops, but still that is better than traveling on the steam railroad.

The employes of the car shops will work nine hours a day, that is from 7 a. m. to 5 p. m. with one hour for dinner. This afternoon at five o'clock the special cars will convey the machinists back to Lowell, and until further arrangements are made by the Bay State company special cars will run to the shops morning and night. The men are of the opinion that in the spring the Bay State company will extend the South Lowell tracks to the shops, and it is fair to assume that this improvement will be welcomed by all, even if the company were to run cars only morning and night.

A number of the workmen who arrived Saturday have already looked over the ground to purchase land upon which they intend building homes, and it may be but a short time before many of them have their families removed to Billerica or Lowell. Most of the men who came from Keene and Concord owned their homes in the latter cities, and as soon as they can dispose of them they will either build or purchase residences in the vicinity of the shops, for, as one stated, they have come to stay. The shop will be running full force in about three months at which time it is expected outside help will be hired.

Local Machinists Waiting

One of the old employes of the Lowell Machine shop stated this morning that many of the men now at work at the "Big Shop" are patiently awaiting the time that outsiders will be hired at the car shops, for they feel certain that the wages will be much higher than in the local shops, and that working conditions will be better. He said a number of men have already filed their application with the officials of the car shops and as soon as their services are wanted they will leave the old land mark and enter a new field of work. What the officials of the "Big Shop" will do to retain their help is not known, but many feel that an increase in wages is forthcoming, for they believe this is the only practical way to keep the help in the "Big shop," if such men are looked for by the Boston & Maine company.

Employes From Concord

Men high in railroad authority give assurance that the forces employed at the Concord, N. H., shops of the Boston & Maine railroad will not be reduced below 600 men as the result of the opening of the new shops at Billerica. So far 100 men have been transferred here from Concord and 200 more expect to come later.

This statement was given out this morning by the Associated Press and as a matter of fact the men now employed at the Billerica car shops have come mostly from the company's plant at Keene, N. H. In addition to the men who started work this morning, another crowd of about 150 arrived at the shops this noon. The men arrived by the railroad station in this city shortly before noon and they immediately boarded electric cars for Billerica.

Some of the men carried their tools, while others brought along what clothes they will need for a few days, for they expect to return to their homes Saturday night, and come back Monday morning. They were immediately put to work, some going to the locomotive shop, while several others were scattered to the various buildings, paint shop, dressing plant, blacksmith shop, power house and store room.

Repairing Locomotives

Several locomotives of the largest type were brought to the shop during the past few days and some of them are now undergoing thorough repairs. While the writer was in the locomotive shop this forenoon one of the large engines was lifted off its truck and by means of the two large Shaw cranes was removed to other parts of the building, where it was dropped down on wooden blocks. It is interesting to see how those powerful cranes work.

The cranes, the capacity of which is 130 tons, are operated by means of levers, which are manned by young men. They are electrically driven and they can be swerved in any direction. The shop is equipped with machinery of the latest type and considerable work is being done. The pipers are still at work repairing the steam pipes, where a burst occurred a short time ago. Although this work is not quite completed the plant is sufficiently heated and the assistant engineer stated this noon if the thermometer does not drop down much lower than it was this morning no trouble will be encountered.

There were very few men at the shops in search of work this morning and those in charge hope strangers will keep away from the plant until more help is needed, proper notice of which will be given through the newspapers. The men are allowed a half hour for dinner and accordingly they quit work at 4.30 o'clock. A lunch room was recently erected near the shops and when the place opened for the first time this noon many took advantage, while others ate their dinners in the shop, some of whom purchased food from a lunch cart which was driven near the premises. There are over 100 caches on the spur tracks in the yard and those will be repaired as soon as the other parts of the shops are started, and that will be within a few months.

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DEATH OF MRS. DUBS

WIFE OF DR. DUBS, HEAD OF EVANGELICAL MISSION WORK IN CHINA, PASSED AWAY

HARRISBURG, Pa., Feb. 9.—A cablegram from Shanghai, China, today announced the death of Mrs. Dubs, wife of Dr. C. Newton Dubs, head of the United Evangelical mission work in China.

BAPTIST CONFERENCE

LARGE GATHERING AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH THIS AFTERNOON—MANY TOPICS DISCUSSED

A workers' conference was held this afternoon in the First Baptist church on Church street under the auspices of the Sunday schools of the Merrimack River Baptist association. The following topics were discussed:

At 3.30, "Church Attendance Reinforced from the Bible School," Rev. C. H. Howe, South Framingham; 4, "A Standard of Excellence for Baptist Bible Schools," Mr. Harry V. Meyer, Boston; 4.30, "Some Effective Methods of Sunday School Work," Rev. York A. King, Lawrence; 4.45, special conferences for young men led by Mr. Ralph W. Channell of Malden. Topic, "The Boys' Auxiliary and What It Means." 4.45, special conference for young women led by Mrs. Claude E. Patch of Stoneham. Topic, "The Girls' Helpful and What It Stands For." 6, supper in the church parlors; 6.45, "A Problem that needs to be met," Claude E. Patch, Stoneham; 7.15, "The Church, the School and the Home," Mrs. Florence Cameron Ladd, Boston; 7.45, closing address, "The Heart of the Bible," Rev. Floyd L. Carr, Roslindale.

Broderick's orch., Prescott, tonight.

U. S. AVIATOR KILLED

LIEUT. POST FELL 500 FEET WHEN ENGINE OF HYDRO AEROPLANE EXPLODED

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 9.—Lieutenant H. B. Post, first Aero Corps, U. S. A., was instantly killed today by a fall of 500 feet in a hydro aeroplane. About 150 feet from the surface of the bay, Lieutenant Post was seen to shoot clear of the machine. It was said by watchers that the engine exploded.

FUNERAL NOTICES

LEARNED—Died Oct. 7, at his home in Wamesit, Henry J. Learned, aged 71 years. Funeral services will be held from his late home in Wamesit, Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 10, at two o'clock. Friends invited to attend. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Young and Blake.

TANCRED—The funeral of Miss Katherine A. Tancred will take place tomorrow morning from her home, 29 Walker street, at 8 o'clock. A mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

EVANS—The funeral of Mrs. Lucy E. Evans will take place Wednesday afternoon from her late home, 569 Lawrence street. Services will be held at the house at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial will take place in the Edson cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge.

LEAVITT—Died in this city Feb. 9th, Mrs. Mary R. Leavitt, aged 64 years, 2 months and 5 days, at her home, rear of 43 Billerica street. She is survived by two children, Mrs. Robert Gourley and Harry W. Leavitt, and three grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at rear of 43 Billerica street Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

MARTIN—Died in this city, Feb. 7, at his home, 161 Pleasant St., Bernard C. Martin, aged 34 years. Funeral from 161 Pleasant street, Tuesday morning, at 9.15 o'clock. Funeral mass at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Undertaker J. F. Rogers in charge.

Proscott hall, tonight, 15c.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Henry Willette and Miss Annie Corcoran were united in marriage at the parochial residence of St. Peter's church Sunday evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Heffernan. The bridemaid was Miss Nellie Scholes and the best man, Mr. William Choulnard. Mr. and Mrs. Willette will make their home in this city.

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ELKS BURY ARCADIA DEAD

Eighteen Unidentified Victims of Lodging House Fire, Rest in Common Grave

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—In the burial of the 18 unknown dead of the Hotel Arcadia fire yesterday by the Boston Lodge of Elks the spirit of the brotherhood of man was so strikingly portrayed that churchgoers halted in their tracks, heads were bared in the nondescript throngs that lined the streets, and later, at the side of the massive 10 feet by 20 grave in Mt. Hope cemetery tears came to the eyes of many in the assemblage of 3000 when Mayor Curley spoke feelingly of the fate of the unfortunates.

No tragedy in the history of Boston has produced so unusual a spectacle, that of a procession of 18 hearses filing through the city streets. Such a cortege, convoyed by hacks and automobiles containing members of the Elks and others who came to show their reverence for the unknown dead, drew the marked attention of the street crowds from the time of departure at the morgue of the Boston City hospital until the cemetery in West Roxbury was reached.

Originally there had been plans for the interment of 19 bodies, but several days ago one was positively identified as that of John Leahey of South Boston and was taken in charge by relatives.

Another identification placed a victim in the known list as William Sullivan. He was buried with the others after his relatives had expressed a wish that it should be that way.

Before the start was made for the cemetery the Rev. J. J. O'Connor, S. J., of the Immaculate Conception church, who is also chaplain of the City hospital, held a brief prayer service in the morgue chapel over the body that had been identified as that of William Sullivan.

The small edifice was crowded with the members of the committee appointed by the Elks, and with the committee of the city's undertakers who had lent their aid in the preparation for the burial. Edward Mahoney, organist for the Boston Lodge of Elks, supplied the music from the chapel's small organ.

The unusual procession proceeded along Washington street to the West Roxbury district. Among the vehicles which followed the hearses were two carriages containing women and men relatives of Arthur Judd, a Boston man who has been missing since the Arcadia fire. One of these, a brother, told a reporter that although no identification had been made, it was his belief that his brother was among those lost in the burning of the Arcadia.

Police details were personally attended to by Captain Driscoll at the hospital end, and by Supt. Pierce at the cemetery end, although both of these officials were scheduled for their weekly "day of rest."

Old and young, the prosperous and the manifestly poor were crowded around the great grave into which the remains of the unfortunate 18 were placed.

Each casket was enclosed in a pine box, which was designated by a nickel plate bearing the morgue number. As each number was called off, the box was lowered into the grave.

The caskets were placed in two tiers, the lower tier containing ten and the upper eight.

After all the bodies had been deposited in their last resting place, Mayor Curley, himself a member of the Boston Lodge of Elks, with bared head delivered the final tribute to the fire victims. After the mayor had finished, George Carruth, chaplain of the Boston Elks, gave the Elks' committal prayer.

Next came the soft strains of "taps" by Edward Carr, a member of the Boston lodge.

Then when 18 beautiful floral sprays and a massive wreath had been cast upon the upper tier of boxes, Mayor Curley grasped a shovelful of earth, cast the contents on the remains, and said:

"May their souls rest in eternal peace!"

A chorused "Amen" was the response of the assemblage.

A fitting memorial of stone will be placed over the grave by the Boston Elks. For this purpose the sum of $500 was realized at a recent meeting. The lot in which the bodies were buried was purchased by the Elks to save the unfortunates from being placed in Potter's field.

Baby's Terrible Skin Humor Cured

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Detroit, June 21, 1913.—"About a year ago my two-months-old baby was troubled with what they call milk-crusts. The lower part of her body was a mass of sores. It began with small pimples, then they turned to one whole scab. The scab would break open and then it would bleed. She suffered much, as she cried night and day.

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

OPERA HOUSE

James O'Neill, the eminent romantic actor who was last seen in Lowell in support of Viola Allen in "The White Sister," will be seen in his famous version of Dumas' masterpiece, "The Count of Monte Chisto," at the Opera House today and tomorrow. Endored by three generations of continued popularity, this famous actor and fascinating play are too well known and admired to require extended comment. Dumas' powerful story illustrates with sweeping force the eternal triumph of right, and its development is marked by the sustained charm of genius. Mr. O'Neill has caught the spirit that animates the hero of the tale. As Edmonde Dantes he has the careless grace, the droll humor and brusque heartiness characteristic of the honest sailor lad. As the count, his bearing assumes the serious finality and firmness befitting the man with but a single and sacred aim in life, and through all the phases of the character there runs that delicate vein which exalts Mr. O'Neill's effort to the dignity of a superbly harmonized artistic impersonation. This wonderful five reel feature was produced by the Famous Players Film company and has a record run of over six months at the Herald Square theatre, New York city. In addition to the above feature will be seen the three-reel Warner masterpiece, "The Trail of the Law." This western melodrama is of the distinctive type that so picturesquely portrays the rugged life of the rancher as it was in reality on the frontier back in the early "fifties." The scenes are most alluring, this picture having been produced right in the heart of the barren mountain ranges that lie in northern New Mexico. The plot is woven about a jilted outlaw who, when spurned in love, attempts to carry out an intricate plot in seeking revenge. One's eyes are ever on the screen as the story unfolds, thrill follows thrill with rapid fire precision throughout the three parts, making this photo-play a red-blooded, gripping production that will hold your attention.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

A likeable musical comedy, with all of the adjuncts of the kind which is now the rage in New York and the larger cities of the country, will be in first place at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week. Murray Harris, a competent singing comedian, and Miss Ruby Caldwell will have the leading parts in the little affair, and six beautiful singing and dancing maids will comprise the company supporting the two stars. The act is based on the love affairs of a young society man, who suddenly finds himself confronted with enough of beauty and smartness to suffice for several ordinary men. Instantly the lovelorn one is plunged into uncertainty as to his course. A seventh maid, however, comes along and to her he gives his heart and sings sweetest love nothings. The act is full of scenic and costume effects and it will prove a novelty.

Miss Mabel Page, a young woman who earned her spurs in Broadway productions for the Frohmans and for Belasco, will be seen in Una Clayton's eminently satisfactory comedy entitled "The Understudy." Miss Clayton has written something which teems with real life and the smiles and tears which will be accorded the act are manifestations of the joy one will get at looking at a play so palpably true and human. The story of the piece concerns "Betsy Brown," from a small Maine town, who imagines she has learned the art of acting through a correspondence school. Convinced that her art is of such quality that the keenest of managers of the metropolis will instantly engage her, she goes to New York, and is finally given a chance with the "In the Toils of the Tempter" company. Naturally enough she doesn't make good, at least in her acting, although her sweet, frank character endear her to her associates and the final curtain shows her about to succeed in another line of endeavor. Miss Page, who plays the leading character, is exceptionally well equipped to play the rather difficult part. For a number of seasons she was a member of the supporting companies of William Gillette, W. H. Crane and Viola Allen.

When two comedians can be located who can sing then there is pretty sure of being a mighty attractive vaudeville team. This is the case with Freeman and Dunham, who are much sought after on all the "big time" circuits, and who are going to please Lowell audiences this week. They work either in or out of character make-up and this speaks volumes for the songs and funnyisms which they deliver.

Hilda Mason and George Murray give some highly polished vaudeville. Miss Mason is a very attractive young woman, who sings and dances well and who is rated as one of the best dressed women in vaudeville, while Mr. Murray has a fund of whimsicalities to give and which are guaranteed to hold the true funny ring to them.

Artists, varying in ability, have appeared from time to time on the stage, but painters in oils have seldom, if ever, invaded the precincts of the variety theatre. However, Vandinhoff and Louie, who will appear on the bill t.nhut only in oils and they paint beautiful flowers and landscapes. Their work is very highly commended, not only for its novelty but because of its thoroughness and great artistry.

Women gymnasts of great reputation are the Five Idanias, who were formerly special features with the Barnum & Bailey circus, and whose dare-devil work will give audiences plenty of thrills. The two Alfredos have a brand new novelty to offer. As usual, the Pathe Weekly pictures will close the bill. Good seats for all performances during the week may be secured in advance at the box office. Phone 28.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Four clever Hawaiian dancers captained by the only and original Toots Paka will hold the first position on an excellent bill arranged for the first three days this week at the Merrimack Square theatre. It hardly seems possible that a theatre charging the low prices of admission found here, could afford to play such an expensive person as this famous dancer, but such is the case and not only have she and her company been booked, but three other acts and an excellent series will also also be found. "Toots" will be seen in her famous Tango nature dance and also several others. She is ably assisted by the four other members of her company and the whole is said to be extraordinary in the extreme. Frivoli, the shadowgraphist, also on the bill has something new in his line, while "Roundy" Keane, the popular illustrated song singer will sing two new catchy songs.

THE OWL THEATRE

The new mirror screen which was recently installed at the Owl theatre is making people talk; the clearness of the pictures with this improvement cannot be described. It remains to be seen. Miss Florence Turner, the Vitagraph favorite during many years, is being starred in a three-act picture of mystery and intrigue. "The Harper Mystery" is the product of the Turner Films, Ltd., and it is an exceptionally well acted detective story, in which a woman takes the leading part. How she catches one of the cleverest criminals and the way she clears up the mystery of an old lady who is being held by some crooks who are trying to get her fortune are told in a stirring manner. She cleverly outwits the villains and the praise of the chief of police for her courage is a great satisfaction to her. Five other good pictures are to be shown, all Mutual "movies," and every one is a winner. This service will be regularly shown at the Owl, and it promises to be all that it has been advertised. The Mutual Girl made her debut last Friday and her second adventure will be shown on the coming Friday and Saturday.

THEATRE VOYONS

It would be difficult to imagine a more laughable photo-play than Wild Beasts at Large or When the Menagerie Broke Loose, a two-part vitagraph comedy that will be shown at the Voyons for the first part of the week. The animals certainly have a great time while they are at liberty. The lions visit a butcher shop, the monkeys make a call on some ladies in a fruit store, a pair of leapards visit a barber shop and a couple of man eating tigers call on a man and his wife at home. Come and see the fun when a dozen or more snakes enter a saloon and the patrons think they are seeing things. Be sure and bring the children as these reels are a continual laugh from start to finish.

The C. B. Coburn Co., through the medium of its permanent demonstrator, is having a demonstration of Gold Medal gelatine at the store in Market street, serving to the ladies and those interested, dishes of delectable fruit jelly with maraschino cherries and bananas. The splendid quality of Gold Medal gelatine is deliciously exemplified in the fruit jelly Mrs. Smith is serving.

The dance committees in charge of the coming dance of the Keedon Klub which will take place in Associate hall, next Thursday, Lincoln's birthday, met last evening and perfected plans. A record breaking crowd is anticipated.

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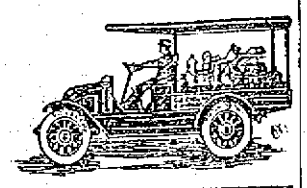

BANK IS CLOSED

Directors Allege That President Lost $800,000 in Speculation

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 9.—Alleging that almost $500,000 has been lost through speculations of C. H. Raine, president of the Mercantile National bank, ten directors of that institution last night ordered that the bank should not open its doors for business today. The bank was considered one of the strongest here.

In a petition for a receiver filed in chancery court today the directors allege that with liabilities of approximately $2,196,894 but $1,400,000 can be found. They charge that Raine secured the money "by a system of handling drafts, property and exchange in such a manner as to deceive the directors and conceal his manipulations."

Action was decided on at a meeting of directors and creditors yesterday after a report had been made to them by a New York correspondent who had audited the Mercantile's books when it was found that loans made to the local banks were not proportionate with amounts usually secured at this season. At the meeting, it is said, Raine asserted that none of the other officials of the bank knew of the discrepancies and turned over his personal estate, which he claimed to be worth approximately $350,000. The mercantile bank is capitalized at $200,000. Its last published statement showed assets of about two and a half million dollars.

The alleged discrepancy was discovered by a representative of a New York correspondent of the bank, who was sent to Memphis last week to audit the books of the Mercantile bank, when loans requested were found to be out of proportion to the amounts usually asked for at this season of the year. His report, told directors yesterday, which brought the situation to a climax, was the first intimation that the bank was not in a prosperous condition, according to the directors.

It is stated that President Raine, who attended yesterday's meeting, absolved all of the officers and directors of the bank of implication in the alleged shortage and tendered his personal estate, which he valued at $350,000, to the bank. So far he has made no formal statement.

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TRAINS COLLIDE

Four Passengers Injured When Train Split the Switch at Salem

SALEM, Feb. 9.—Four passengers were injured today when a train on the Marblehead branch of the Boston & Maine railroad struck an open switch and crashed into a freight car here today.

William H. Payne of Marblehead was taken to a hospital to be treated for bad cuts about the head. The other injured persons, William Murray and F. A. Balcomb of this city and John T. Collins of Danvers were taken to their homes.

The freight car was demolished but no part of the passenger train left the rails.

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HONORED AT BOSTON CITY CLUB FOR HIS PART IN ST. ELIZABETH'S COLLECTION

One of those most honored in connection with the work of raising the large fund for St. Elizabeth's hospital, Boston, was Rev. William H. Grant of South Boston, formerly connected with St. Peter's church, this city. Throughout the campaign Fr. Grant was intimately connected with the leaders who had the collection in hand, and that his efforts were appreciated was amply demonstrated at the City Club in Boston last week when at the banquet signalizing the completion of the work, he was introduced to speak. He received a tremendous ovation and his eloquence charmed the large gathering. While stationed at St. Peter's, this city, Fr. Grant was noted for the eloquence of his sermons, and his touching eulogy on the death of Pope Leo is still remembered for its dignified impressiveness. Rev. Fr. Grant is a cousin of Rt. Rev. Philip Garrigan, D. D., Bishop of Sioux City, Ia.

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JACK BINNS TO MARRY

WIRELESS OPERATOR, HERO OF THE STEAMER REPUBLIC, TO MARRY MISS ALICE MacNIFF

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Jack Binns, wireless operator hero of the lost steamer Republic, is to be married in June.

Announcement of the fact was made today. His fiance is Miss Alice A. MacNiff of Brooklyn, whom he met when he was ticking dots and dashes on the Adriatic.

Jack has quit the sea and is now a ship news reporter here.

BASKETBALL GAME

Another big basketball game will be played at the Y. M. C. I. hall, Tuesday night, when the Y. M. C. I. first team meets the strong Military Athletic association team of Lawrence. The Lawrence aggregation is said to be one of the strongest in the state. A week ago, when the Belvidere team went to Lawrence, the game ended in the second period, 16 to 14 in favor of the Lawrence team, a dispute having taken place in which it is said the spectators took part. However, all difficulties have been patched up, and the two teams have arranged to play two more games, the first of which will be played in the Y. M. C. I. hall, tomorrow night.

C. F. Keyes will hold his next furniture sale Thursday, February 12th. See this paper later for list of goods.

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To close, about 10 dozen Children's All Wool and Worsted Sweaters, 75c to $1.00 values. At 39c Each

BASEMENT

100th ANNIVERSARY OF BIRTH OF SAMUEL J. TILDEN TODAY

1 WILLIAM F. McCOMBS. 2 SAMUEL J. TILDEN

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 29.—In various sections throughout the country the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Samuel J. Tilden was celebrated today. This noted statesman, who was governor of New York and candidate for the presidency against Rutherford B. Hayes, was the leading democrat of his day. William F. McCombs, chairman of the democratic national committee, and Mayor J. P. Mitchel were the chief speakers at the ceremonies at New York city, and here at Albany fitting observance was made.

F. J. TIMMONS' FUNERAL

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT SERVICES HELD THIS MORNING—PROFUSION OF FLOWERS

The funeral of the late Frederick J. Timmons, a prominent young business man of Lowell, took place this morning at 9.30 o'clock from his home, 16 Dover street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including a number from out of town; also the following delegation from the local lodge of Elks, of which deceased was an esteemed member: William W. Murphy, John J. Dawson, Joseph F. Burns, Michael J. Markham, Edward R. Morris, Terence Leonard, Edward F. Brady and Edward T. Cushing. The cortege proceeded to St. Margaret's church where at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was sung by the pastor, Rev. C. J. Galligan, assisted by Rev. W. George Mullin as deacon and Rev. Henry Reardon as subdeacon. The choir rendered the Gregorian mass.

There was a wealth of beautiful floral tributes, including offerings from the wife of the deceased, the parents, Arthur J. Cummiskey, Patrick Keyes, Harvard Brewing Co., employes at the store, Miss Maud MacPherson, Mr. and Mrs. William P. McCarthy, Mrs. Harriet Marsh and Miss Ruth Marsh of Nashua, N. H., friends at the Richardson hotel, Rueter Brewing Co., Mr. and Mrs. D. J. MacDougall, Miss Etta M. Callahan, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Griffin of Lexington, Mass., Lowell Lodge of Elks, the Boyle family, Terence Leonard, John J. Lee, Michael J. Markham and Joseph F. Burns, Mrs. Ida Farrington, Miss M. E. Jean of Boston, William H. Harrigan and Miss Harrigan, C. E. Goulding and W. E. Bartlett, Edmund T. Simpson, D. W. MacKenzie, Louis Ducharme, Charles Armstrong, Joseph H. Boyle, Mrs. M. C. Timmons, Bernadette Galarneau, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnston, Miss Margaret Courtney, William F. Foye and John J. Foye, Edward Morris, M. F. Gookin Co., Mrs. Owen J. Carney, Miss M. K. Crawford, John J. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur LaFlamme, Thomas Bagley, May Mulvey of Lexington, Mass., Mrs. John T. Williamson, Richard A. Griffiths, Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Berard, L. T. Buckard, J. W. Fillio of Lexington, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. John Slattery, and friends on the Middlesex and Boston street railway, Lexington.

The bearers were Frank Raymond, Patrick Keyes, William P. McCarthy, A. G. Stiles, Hon. James E. O'Donnell, Arthur J. Cummiskey, Joseph Boyle and Walter Bartlett.

At the grave Rev. Fr. Galligan read the prayers, and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. The arrangements were in charge of Mr. John J. Sullivan, and the burial was under the direction of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

GIRLS CONFESS THEFT

TWO OF MANCHESTER, N. H., HAD BEEN CHARGED WITH LARCENY OF THREE GOLD RINGS

MANCHESTER, N. H., Feb. 9.—Eva Laflamme, 11, of 455 Cartier street, and Ziller Labrine, 15, of 29 Martin lane, were arrested last night charged with larceny of three gold rings from the home of Napoleon Rosseau, 455 Cartier street. The girls confessed to the theft and gave up the rings.

TRAIN IS STORMBOUND

REP. HOWELL OF UTAH, EN ROUTE TO CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION OF STRIKE, STRANDED

HANCOCK, Mich., Feb. 9.—The train bearing Representative Howell of Utah, the one necessary to make a quorum in the congressional investigation, was reported storm bound in the lower peninsula today and prospects for a meeting dwindled as the day advanced.

Chairman Taylor said that it was unlikely that hearings would begin before tomorrow.

NAVAL TUG MISSING

REPEATED WIRELESS CALLS BRING NO NEWS OF POTOMAC LOST IN ICE PACKS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Repeated wireless calls have brought no news of the naval tug Potomac, lost somewhere in the ice packs of the Bay of Islands, where she went to the rescue of two imprisoned fishing schooners, and today the navy department asked the authorities at Sidney to locate the vessel.

With a crew of 36 the Potomac has not been heard from since Thursday. While officials think it unusual that she has not reported she is a stout vessel and the navy department is not yet entertaining fears for her safety. They believe the ice which imprisoned the fishermen is keeping the Potomac from port.

Best music, Prescott, tonight.

TO FIND MISSING GIRL

MAN TO TAKE MOTHER OF ARLIN GIRL TO SUPPOSED HIDING PLACE

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—William E. English, secretary of the Hospital Reform association, has promised to make good his statement that he knows the whereabouts of Miss Eleanor Arlin, the missing Brookline stenographer.

From Colebrook, N. H., today, will come Mrs. Jane Arlin, the mother of the girl whose whereabouts has baffled police, private detectives and boy scout searchers for nearly a month.

Mr. English has promised to reveal the whereabouts of the girl, whom he insists he has seen and knows to be Miss Arlin. The arrangements for the end of the almost country-wide search for the girl were completed yesterday.

To Miss Marion K. Brown, an intimate friend of Miss Arlin, English yesterday declared he knew Miss Arlin to be confined in a sanitarium within 10 miles of Boston.

LOCAL DRUGGISTS

At Meeting of Mass. Pharmaceutical Association in Worcester

Several Lowell druggists left this city yesterday or today for Worcester where they will attend the mid-winter meeting of the Massachusetts State Pharmaceutical association which is to be held in the Bay State hotel. The session was called to order at 10 o'clock this forenoon by Frank Campbell of this city, president of the state association, and considerable business of an important nature was transacted.

Mr. Campbell and Azro M. Dows arrived in Worcester yesterday and conferred with members of the legislative committee of which the latter is a member. Among those who went today are: James J. Brown, Justin Dows, George Wilson, Fred Burtt, Dr. C. O. Wilson, Samuel McCord, C. F. George, Rep. Fred Lewis, Ray Webster, Frank P. Moody, Frank C. Goodale and others.

The meeting today was featured by a discussion of the report of the legislative committee and many expressed their opinion as to the action that should be taken on legislation pending during the coming session of our state legislature. Among the topics taken up were: "Drug Clerks' Hours of Labor," "The Sixth Class License" and "New Registration of Stores Bill."

President Campbell Talks

Frank J. Campbell, president of the state branch of druggists, in conversation with a Sun reporter before leaving for the convention said that he thought the meeting of druggists this year would be one of the most interesting ever held. "There are some fifty or sixty bills in the legislature," said Mr. Campbell, "that effect directly or indirectly the interests of the association, and it is with a view to ascertain which of the bills should be opposed or favored that the meeting is held. We meet in order to separate the chaff from the wheat so that we enter in these things with much enthusiasm. The bills embrace every phase of the work of druggists, some relative to the hours of labor; others on the sale of liquor in drug stores; a bill compelling the employment of a registered pharmacist in public institutions, bills relative to the sale of ice cream, and others of more or less interest. Since assuming the office of president of the Massachusetts association I have found the duties of the office most congenial and the assistance given me by local members has aided greatly."

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N. Y. POLITICS

Pres. Wilson Discusses Condition With Gov. Glynn and McCombs

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—How the various elements in the New York state democracy are to be assembled into an organization with one leadership is a problem before President Wilson, Governor Glynn of New York and William McCombs, the democratic national chairman in a conference at the White House today. The president of late has been giving deep consideration to the fall campaign when he realizes the democratic administration will to some extent be before the country for approval or disapproval in the elections for members of the house of representatives and the United States senate.

Chairman McCombs has talked over the national situation in detail with the president, but the most important admittedly is the status of the Empire state democracy.

It has not yet been decided what part the president himself will take in the actual campaign. Some of his close friends think he will make several speeches on national questions, asking the people to keep both branches of congress in the democratic ranks. The president is devoting much of his time to a study of the various state situations but in political circles today interest was centered most in how the problem would be worked out in New York where party demoralization followed the Sulzer impeachment proceedings and the defeat in the New York city election last November by the fusion movement against the Tammany organization.

One of the subjects before the White House conference today between President Wilson and Governor Glynn of New York was the selection of William Church Osborne for democratic state chairman. He is a brother-in-law of Cleveland H. Dodge, Princeton '79, a very old friend of President Wilson.

The choice is acceptable to the president and the work of reorganization is expected to be started with Mr. Osborne's election.

There has been some talk of the possible candidacy of Mr. McCombs for the senate but he is non committal today on the subject.

EARL OF DERBY QUITS

WON'T SELL ESTATE BARON DE FOREST FOR $7,500,000 AFTER MAKING OFFER

LONDON, Feb. 9.—The Earl of Derby has declined to sell to Baron De Forest his Bootle estate, in the suburbs of Liverpool, on the ground that the Baron had wilfully misrepresented the terms of his offer.

Recently, in a contribution to the land inquiry committee's report, Baron De Forest cited the Bootle estate as a striking example of unearned increment. The property, which was purchased in 1724 for $36,000, he estimated to be now valued at between $15,000,000 and $20,000,000.

Lord Derby declared that the estimates were grossly excessive, and said he would sell the estate to Baron De Forest for $7,500,000. The baron hastened to accept the offer.

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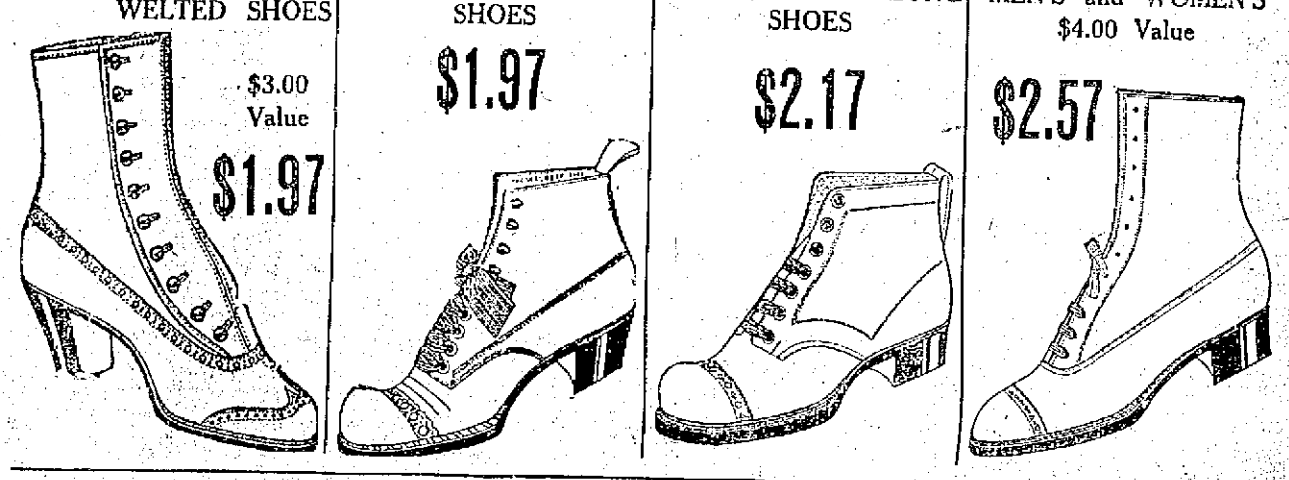
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DEATHS

TANCRED—The many friends of Miss Katherine A. Tancred, the well known milliner, will be grieved to learn of her death, which occurred yesterday morning at her home, 28 Walker street, after a brief illness. She was a devout attendant of St. Patrick's church. She leaves one sister, Miss Margaret T. Tancred, and an aunt, Miss Margaret Monahan.

EVANS—Mrs. Lucy E. Evans, aged 55 years, wife of James Evans, died yesterday at her home, 569 Lawrence street. She leaves besides her husband, two brothers, Frank Langley of Boston and John Langley of Candia, N. H.

LEARNED—Henry J. Learned died Saturday afternoon at his home in Wamesit, aged 71 years. He leaves, besides his wife, Mary M. Learned, three brothers, Wilbur F. and Waldo A. of Watertown, Mass., and Charles A. of Meriden, Conn. Mr. Learned was connected with the old firm of A. R. Gray stationers and account book manufacturers in State street, Boston, and later with Hooper, Lewis & Co., in Federal street.

ELEANOR—Sister M. Eleanor of the Franciscan order and daughter of Jas. and Nellie Brennan Healey, died yesterday morning at St. Elizabeth's hospital, Boston, aged 21 years. Burial in Allegheny, N. Y.

ROCHE—Hannah Roche died yesterday morning at the home of her parents, William J. and Catherine Roche, 637 Lakeview avenue, aged 1 year and 6 months.

MARTIN—Bernard C. Martin died on Saturday evening at his home, 161 Pleasant street, after a long illness, aged 34 years. He leaves a mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Martin; three brothers, John, Fred and Lawrence, and two sisters, Miss Elizabeth Martin of Lowell and Mrs. McSally of Providence, R. I.

McINNES—James McInness died yesterday at 52 Milton street, Lawrence, aged 57 years. He was an overseer in the Lower Pacific mills, and formerly resided in this city.

McMANUS—James R. McManus, aged four months, child of James and Mary T. McManus, died today at his home, 48 Whipple street.

DOHERTY—Mr. Edward Doherty, a resident of Boston, died Saturday morning at the State hospitalary, aged 63 years. He is survived by one brother, Patrick. His remains were removed to the undertaking rooms of James W. McKenna and were taken to Boston Sunday for burial in Holy Cross cemetery, Malden. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

Keedon Klub at Asso., Thurs. Miner's.

FUNERALS

FISHER—The funeral services of Miss Margaret J. Fisher took place from the home of her aunt, Mrs. Jane Hanlin, 16 Riverside avenue, Saturday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Appleton Grannis, pastor of St. Anne's Episcopal church. The bearers were Messrs. Matthew Bailey, Frank Rourke, Dennis Coleman and Joseph McManimon. Among the flowers were pieces from the following: Mrs. Hanlin, Miss Belle Bailey and Mrs. Quinlan, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Morse, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Wier, Miss Nellie Boul, Miss M. Donovan, Mrs. D. Cuddell and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rourke and family, Miss Belle Farr, Miss Dame and Miss Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Knowles and Frances. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery where the burial service was read by Rev. Mr. Grannis. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

HAMILTON—The funeral of Silas Hamilton took place Saturday at the Chelmsford Street Free Baptist church. The services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. Ernest T. Trites. The bearers were Messrs. A. J. Boies, E. L. Gray, P. S. Mooney and J. E. Thorne. The body was taken to Manchester, N. H., for burial in the family lot in the Valley cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

PRATT—The funeral of Mr. Marshall Pratt took place Saturday afternoon from the Hadley Street Baptist church, Middlesex Village. Services were conducted by Rev. William McAlpine, pastor of the church. The bearers were Messrs. O. M. Pratt, E. C. Pratt, W. P. Pratt and C. H. Dean. Burial was in the family lot in the Riverside cemetery, North Chelmsford, where the burial service was read by Mr. McAlpine. The local arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

HORTON—The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Horton took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. Martha A. Taylor, 14 Nichols street. The services were conducted by Rev. Clarence R. Skinner, pastor of the Grace Universalist church. The burial will take place in the family lot in the cemetery at Athol, Mass. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

ROCHE—The funeral of Hannah Roche took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and, owing to the cause of death, cerebral spinal meningitis, was private. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

MEADE—The funeral of Mrs. Ann Meade took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the funeral chapel of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy on Market street, and was largely attended. Services were conducted at the chapel by Rev. Thomas A. Walsh of Collinsville. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. The bearers were Timothy Fitzgerald, Albert Marshall, David Soncson, Michael Hanley, James Keating and John Cashman. There were many floral tributes placed upon the grave. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

Latest song hits, Prescott, tonight.

A NATIONAL BALLAD SEARCH

A national search for old ballads has been inaugurated by the United States bureau of education. Convinced that many of the English and Scottish popular ballads of olden times still survive in the United States, and that immediate steps are necessary to rescue them from oblivion, the bureau has commissioned Prof. C. Alphonso Smith of the University of Virginia, a prominent folk-lore investigator, to institute a nation-wide search for versions of these old ballads that once helped to mold the character of the men and women who made up the larger part of the colonial population of this country.

"If our American versions are not collected immediately they can never be collected at all," Prof. Smith asserts. "Many influences are tending to obliterate them. Catchy but empty songs not worthy of comparison with them, the decadence of communal singing, the growing diversity of interests, the appeal to what is divisive and separative in our national life, the presence of the artificial and self-conscious in modern writing are depriving our homes and school rooms of a kind of literature which, for community of feeling, for vigor of narrative for vividness of portraiture, and for utter simplicity of style and content, is not surpassed in the whole history of English or American song."

A list of 305 of the ballads, all that are known to exist, has been distributed to teachers and others by the bureau of education. Those who receive the lists are asked to indicate whether they or their friends know any of the ballads. The plan is to start a ballad collection for each state, so that state folk-lore societies may be encouraged to take up the work and preserve a body of valuable popular literature that threatens to become extinct.

Among the ballads for which survivals are sought are: Robin Hood, the Beggar-Laddie, Bonny Barbara Allan, the Crafty Farmer, Durham Field, the Earl of Mar's Daughter, Fair Annie, Johnnie Armstrong's Last Goodnight, Ladie Isabel and the Elf Knight, Child Maurice, the Lass of Roch Royal, the Mermaid, Rob Roy, the Three Ravens, Troopers and Maid, and the Wife of Usher's Well.

ADULTERATION OF SEEDS.

Of vital concern to the success of farming is the matter of pure seeds, and it is quite evident from the work that has been done in examining samples that some sort of inspection is necessary. Of 125 officially examined samples, one-fifth were below the standard set by law. The standard in this case was by no means high, since it merely required that the presence in agricultural seeds of more than 3 percent. of foul or foreign seeds must be plainly indicated on the label of the package.

Of the ordinary weed seeds found in the inspection, 3 percent. by count would involve the sowing of 125,000 weed seeds in the 20 pounds of alfalfa seed used on an acre, or three weeds for every square foot of land. Of 621 samples of alfalfa seed examined, 13 contained sand, crushed stone, broken seed, yellow trefoil or similar undesirable material in quantities beyond what would be present naturally. Of 14 samples of hairy vetch examined, 13 contained seeds of other vetches as an adulterant, notably Spring vetch, which cannot replace the Winter vetch as a cover crop.

For seeds in general, adulteration is becoming less common. Among the seeds in which the number of poor samples was low were timothy, red-top, white clover and Kentucky blue grass, while red clover, alsike clover and hairy vetch showed considerably larger percentages of low-grade samples. Care should be exercised in the purchase of any of these seeds.

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A PATRIOTIC MOVE

The action of the house in eliminating an amendment to the immigration bill now before congress, which would have excluded Mongolians, Negroes and Malays not protected by treaty or passport agreement, from entering this country, has saved the administration much confusion and saved the country the solution of a muddle that would have undoubtedly resulted in serious misunderstandings with foreign nations. The amendment was offered by representatives from the Pacific coast and was aimed especially at the exclusion of the Japanese, for the fires kindled over a year ago are still smouldering. It does not need a restriction of this nature to kindle strong animosity against things American in the minds of the subjects of the Mikado, for anti-American feeling is quite common in Japan; it has been shown conclusively recently in the sympathy which has been more or less officially expressed there for the Mexican dictator, Huerta.

The amendment was phrased in such a way as to sound fairly reasonable, but it had its sting nevertheless. So plausible did it seem that it once passed the house. Some of the astute leaders, however, immediately foresaw that the consequences might be serious, and they brought pressure to bear on influential legislators, with the result that the vote of acceptance was rescinded next day by the emphatic vote of 203 to 54. The former vote which allowed the amendment to pass was 111 to 90. This demonstrates that the seriousness of the question became speedily apparent. Republican Leader Mann had a great share in the revision of the action of the house, for at a critical time he rose and made a fine speech, putting patriotism above party, and prevailing on his colleagues to take back an amendment that could only result in injury to the relations of this country with other nations. "I have been long enough in this house," said Mr. Mann, "to know when to place country above party. . . . I am not prepared to invite war with Japan or any other country."

It is well indeed that in matters affecting our foreign relations, party considerations should be secondary to those of a patriotism wide enough to include all parties. In dealing with international affairs, America has been placed in many delicate positions of late, and in the solution of the problems that confront him, the president should get the cordial support of the republican senators and congressmen as well as of the democrats. Foreign affairs are not strictly speaking party affairs as the president shows by his desire to have the republicans of the senate committee on foreign relations present at all important deliberations.

It would also be well did the rest of the country frown on the attempts of California to make laws of national discrimination which would plunge the government into difficulties and which might plunge the country into war. The Californian-Japanese problem is, of course, local, and may be understood fully by those in that section, but any exclusion clause seems too grave to be considered a local matter merely. To New England people the Californian attitude strongly suggests undue prejudice, and our people will be glad that the amendment to exclude Asiatics failed—thanks in great measure to the finely expressed patriotism of Republican Leader Mann.

SYLVIA AND CHRISTABEL

Sylvia and Christabel Pankhurst, these English ladies of the sweetly feminine names and sourly Amazonian tendencies, have decided to take opposite sides on the movement originated by their energetic mother, and accordingly there is a rift within the ranks of the militant suffragettes that time only promises to widen. Miss Christabel has been living abroad in the Parisian atmosphere, owing to the unchivalrous laws which aim at putting her in prison for destroying property and inciting to riot, and away from the source of the trouble, she has become a little less militant in her attitude towards the suffrage question. She is supported by many of the older members who have become either mentally or physically weary of the struggle, or who perhaps realize that the militant antics of the frenzied women have hurt the cause almost irreparably.

But sweet Miss Sylvia will not quiet down so easily—no siree. She has organized a peoples' army in the East Side of London and is making preparations which promise to set her on the pedestal of Joan of Arc. Having talked war and revolution so long, she cannot rest satisfied until she has battered down the turrets of Windsor castle or delapidated the tower of London. Mrs. Pankhurst has not expressed herself yet on the merits of the views of the sisters, but it is supposed in England that she leans to Christabel. There is more than a suspicion among the women so easily led into all manner of excesses that there was a method in Mrs. Pankhurst's madness, and those who looked over the financial stipulations of her American trip suspect so. Mrs. Pankhurst is an unusually intelligent woman, and people of ordinary intelligence in England have long seen that militancy has only retarded the cause. Why then did she persist in keeping up the disgraceful spectacle so long? We may get the answer when the Misses Sylvia and Christabel get mad and talk back to each other—as they may be reasonably expected to do—for militancy has left them women at heart.

GREEN HILLS FAR AWAY

We are all familiar with the man who is very anxious to work but who cannot seem to find anything to do. In fact he is so discouraged about the local outlook that he has long ago given up the search for work, and roams round listlessly keeping busy people idle and boring the public generally with tales of the city's lack of opportunity, and the chances that are to be found elsewhere in abundance. "If I only had the coin," he says, "I'd beat it out of here pretty quick." It is extremely cruel to disillusionize this type of estimable being, but nevertheless it is only right to tell him that if he cannot find work in his home town the chances are that he cannot find it anywhere else. Recently the Ford company of Detroit made some remarkable concessions to its workers and the flood of unemployed that swept into the city has tied up the labor markets and made the outlook for the city serious. Detroit is a progressive and booming city but there is a limit to its powers of absorption. Similar reports come from San Francisco, where thousands swarmed during the past year thinking to find work owing to the coming Panama-Pacific exposition. Now the unemployed in California are numbered not by thousands but by hundreds of thousands. Hills are green far away, but the best way to keep them green is to look at them from a distance. The man who is out of work and really desirous of finding it cannot do better than search diligently in his home town. You cannot get that good job in California because the other fellow went out and got it five years ago and there have been a thousand after it since.

COTTON FOR AFRICA

Whether the African climate is changing or whether civilization is introducing clothing among the best black people of the dark continent, it seems that the natives are taking kindly to cotton, and it also seems from the report of the government expert who is here in connection with the exhibition of cotton samples at the rooms of the board of trade, that American manufacturers are not getting a proportionate share of the business which promises to become enormous. There are immense opportunities for American business expansion in many other foreign parts such as China, Japan, the Philippines, and the various countries of Latin America after the opening of the Panama canal. Some of the federal departments keep an eye to foreign business, but it might pay the representatives of American manufacture to keep in touch with the several consuls in foreign parts and to send representatives into the countries where there is supposed to be a good opening for American enterprise.

PUBLIC MARKET FOR HARTFORD

Hartford, Conn., seems to be in the same position as Lowell with regard to the agitation for a public market. A councilmanic committee has had the matter in hand and will recommend that the question be submitted to the popular vote at the next city election. A public hearing was held in that city recently at which the local arguments were brought out before a small attendance. It seemed to be the general opinion that a public market would do much to reduce the cost of living were it favored by the public. The profits of the middleman would be cut down and the entire cost of delivery would be offset. It has been the experience of many places, however, that the public market falls in some cases because the people it is meant to benefit refuse or neglect to avail themselves of it. Theoretically it is an undoubted factor in reducing the cost of living, but in its practical aspect a campaign of education is needed to stir up the public to its advantages. If public markets fail anywhere, the fault is on the people themselves.

A STEAMSHIP "WAR"

Owing to differences between two of the German steamship lines, and the championing of one of them by the English lines, there has been a serious misunderstanding resulting in keen competition and cut rates. When such has occurred in the past, the tourist rates went surprisingly low, and it seems safe to augur the same results from the present misunderstanding. There has also been some changing and readjustment of rates following changes of route among the British lines, so that on the whole, tourist rates will probably be usually low for the coming season. All of the steamship lines are capitalized for many millions, and they can afford to keep up a rate war for many months. Such a war is one that the ordinary tourist will cordially welcome.

Seen and Heard

To the average woman, Oriental luxury means divans, and rugs, and costly hangings, but she doesn't know about the dirt and fleas.

If a small boy is caught by his father dragging a stick along the pickets of his own front fence, he sometimes learns swiftly that it doesn't always pay to advertise.

One of the men who is fighting hardest against the Pillsbury site for the tuberculosis hospital looks as if he might soon be an inmate of such an institution.

One luxury that the ordinary woman may enjoy, but of which the proud queen is deprived, is that of going out into the kitchen on a rainy afternoon and spending a glad hour or so talking gossip with the hired girl.

When a man takes it for granted that you will always do anything he wants, you cannot always take it for granted that he will do anything you ask him to.

Beware of the man who makes it a rule to drop ten coppers instead of a dime into the collection plate at church, because they make more noise.

Frequently a man who thinks he is a first-class story-teller is looked on by others only as a bore.

They say that riches bring discontent, and perhaps they do, when you don't have them.

Another advantage connected with those Turkish-towel hats that the girls were wearing last summer was that some of them may be doing useful work as wash cloths now.

For a farmer to be successful when he goes to raising pork, the pen has to be mightier than the pig.

The old-fashioned housekeeper used to keep a stock pot for soup standing on the back part of the kitchen range. The modern housekeeper keeps a few ten-cent cans stacked up in the pantry.

The stingy man's favorite aphorism is that a man ought to be just before he is generous.

Just how mad is a wet hen, anyway?

Even the man who always pays his bills with a check doesn't always pay his bills.

Miss Samantha, the presiding genius of the kitchen, was relating her experience with an icy pavement. "Ah had an awful fall," she told her friend. "Comin' from church Ah fell on de consecrated sidewalk, an' Ah waz two hours unconscientious afteh dey tuk me home."

Why sigh for wealth? The richest man in the country has to pay the biggest income tax.

Did it ever occur to you that it must be tantalizing to be the player of one of the big bull fiddles in the opera orchestra and have to stand underneath the edge of the stage, with your back against the wall, all through the performance, and never see the show?

Just when does the prosperous man get beyond getting rich and start in being wealthy?

Even if it is true that the typical Englishman is slow to see a joke, it isn't because the London fog eventually gets into his intellect.

The man who always stops to think before he speaks doesn't always say the right thing, even then.

The mere city person is sometimes surprised to learn that, although it is called buttermilk, it hasn't any butter in it.

"I'll tell you a funny one that's absolutely true," said Bunny Brewer, who has heeded the back-to-the-soil movement and recently taken up a homestead on an abandoned looking farm. "Last fall, along about hog-killing time, we had some folks from the city out here and a likely lookin' gal came out to see how I started the day's chores.

"We'll be awful busy today, lady," says I.

"'What are you going to do?' says she.

"'We're going to kill a cow.'

"'What! a whole cow at once?'

"What do you think of that? Mebbe she thought we were going to butcher a tenderloin steak."

Some time ago it was desired to get Mike a position as crossing tender on the railroad and several of his friends went to the superintendent for that purpose.

"I would like to give Mike a job," responded the superintendent to whom he was well known, "but I am afraid that he won't do."

"Won't do!" exclaimed the delegation in surprise. "Why, he is one of the most careful and trustworthy men in the whole state."

"I know that," smiled the superintendent, "but I doubt if he would be able to wave a red flag while there was a green one handy."

This contribution is very faulty in spots, but we give it as it was postcarded to us. We are fond of the contributor.

"In a sweet Ohio village, whose chief industry is tillage, I sought a barber shop to get my hair cut. I didn't find the hair man, but a note tacked on the chair ran: 'Lam the stovepipe if you want me. Charley Faircut.' So I hit the pipe and waited till a girl came in, who stated 'Say, paw he's busy now out in the barnyard. He's a-woking like a fool, clippin' ol' Hauk Ramsey's mule. You're the next one; but I'll bet that you'll get darn tired.' Buck Danks."

One day Smith and Jones were looking at a picture and admiring its wonderful realism.

"It makes me think of an artist that I once heard of," reflectively remarked Smith. "It is said that he painted cobwebs on the ceiling so truthfully that the servant girl wore herself into an attack of nervous prostration trying to sweep them down."

"He did?" responded Jones, as his face broke into a smile.

"Yes," declared the other, with a hurt expression. "You act as if you doubt it."

"Well," returned Jones, "there may have been such an artist, but there was never such a servant girl."

THE GOURMET'S LOVE SONG

As is the mint sauce to the lamb,
As is the fried egg to the ham,
As is the 'possum to the yam,
Are you to me!
Like pork without the apple sauce,
Like hot cross buns without the cross,
Without you love, a total loss
My life would be!

Like apple pie without the cheese,
Or juicy lamb without the peas
Or lemon ice that would not freeze,
Would be my life.
You are the sirup to my cakes,
You are the mushroom to my steaks,
And so I beg for both our sakes,
O, be my wife!

I love you with my heart and soul,
More than young squab en casserole,
More than French dressing in the bowl
O, do be mine!
What? No? My future thus you spoil!
My salad you deprive of oil!
Farewell! But still the pot will boil!
I go to—dine!

EDITORIAL COMMENT

PARTY ENROLLMENT

Brockton Times: The legislature has before it several bills providing abolition of party enrollment. Members of the three parties are interested, and there is no danger the subject will be slighted. Voters are cautioned, however, to watch the progress of debate carefully. This state's experience with the primary makes the question vitally important.

IRREGULAR WORK

Lynn News: If there is any problem which looks hard and is hard to a sober and industrious man, it is that of irregular employment. Especially is the case hard if the man has a family to support, and if so many other men are in the same situation as himself that there are many applicants for every temporary job that might be available. We heard recently of a man who had averaged just two days' work a week for 11 weeks. And this man had at the time unusual calls for money in connection with sickness in his family. What is a self-respecting man to do under such circumstances?

MODERN DRAMA

Fall River Globe: Ben Greet, the Shakespearian actor, in a speech before the Salmagundi club in New York, pronounced "Damaged Goods" to be "a ridiculous and badly written play." It probably reminded him, however, of his favorite Shakespeare, it is so different. But then, in these progressive days of the social uplift and of moral reform as an applied science the Bard of Avon is a back number, of course, and he wouldn't probably be able to earn his salt as a playright in competition with the modern school of artists in that line.

AGAIN THE FINE

Salem News: The News would lay no claim to credit for having made a good guess on the disposition of the smuggling charge of which the wealthy Littauer brothers of Gloversville, N. Y., were convicted. In short, we allowed that they would escape with a fine. Unfortunately, it is too often the way with federal courts that while smuggling among poor people is often visited with prison sentences, millionaire offenders in this quarter escape with a fine. And what is a fine of a thousand dollars, or a few thousand dollars, to a rich smuggler whose income figures around $500 or $1000 a day?

NEW AND OLD

Woonsocket Call: Mayor Curey is laying waste among ex-Mayor Fitzgerald's appointees. The new mayor doesn't like the old mayor and he is unable to conceal his sentiments, or else is not trying to.

IN PERU

Burlington Free Press: And now Peru has blown out in revolution. Whether the proximity of the great American colonel had anything to do with the causes of the outbreak is not clear. At any rate the job was done with dispatch and with so little of the law's delay that the recall of a president was accomplished within 24 hours.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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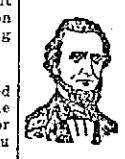

Some of the signs of worms are: Deranged stomach, furred tongue, belching, variable appetite, increased thirst, acid or heavy breath, nausea, enlarged abdomen, variable bowel action, pale face of leaden tint, bluish rings around eyes, itching of nostrils, languor, irritability, disturbed sleep, grinding of teeth, irregularity of pulse.

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FOUND DEAD IN BED

ON 13TH ANNIVERSARY OF WEDDING TO FIRST HUSBAND, WOMAN ENDS LIFE TO REJOIN HIM

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—On the 13th anniversary of her wedding to her first husband, Mrs. Margaret E. Hollingsworth, at her home at 9 Linwood square, Roxbury, last night went deliberately to join him in death. She committed suicide by taking cyanide of potassium after having carefully staged for striking effect the final scene of her life's drama.

When her body was found, the picture of her first husband, Fred Culverwell, was clasped to her heart. Across its face she had written in pencil her farewell message: "I am going to join the one man I love in the world beyond the grave."

Seemingly happy in her married life with her second husband, Fred Hollingsworth, a prosperous traveling salesman, the fact of the suicide came as a staggering blow to him and to her family.

It also revealed for the first time another strange bit of the romantic life of the young woman, for she was only 33. On the night that Fred Culverwell died 13 years ago her first thought was to go with him at once. Locking herself in her room she turned on the gas. When relatives burst open the door she was found lying on the bed unconscious and was only revived with great difficulty.

After making her final preparations for death, Mrs. Hollingsworth reclined in bed and had her step-daughter, Ina Culverwell, a daughter of her first husband by a former marriage, bring her a cup of tea. This she drank, and as the girl waited to remove the cup, she noticed a collection of phials on a stand beside the bed.

Not long after another step-daughter, Edna Culverwell, went in to see if her mother was comfortable for the night and found her dead.

PREVENTS FIRE PANIC

MINISTER QUIETED HIS CONGREGATION WHEN BLAZE BROKE OUT IN HOUSE

The Rev. Norman MacQueen, pastor of the Union Square Presbyterian church, Somerville, quieted his congregation and prevented what might have been a panic when a fire broke out last night in the house at 19 Warren avenue, which adjoins the church.

The clanging of the bells on the fire apparatus and the tooting of the whistle on the engine as it turned into Warren avenue, where the church is located, served to unnerve some members of the congregation and three young women sprang to their feet and hurried out, when Mr. MacQueen called to them to keep their seats and be quiet, as the services were not finished.

Others in the congregation who were about to follow the three young women sat down again. The service was finished very shortly after.

The fire started in the cellar of the house and burned up through the second and third floors. Several lodgers were in the house at the time and were forced to make a hurried exit.

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BREAKS NECK IN FALL

NORTH GROVERDALE WOMAN THE FIFTH TO DIE IN FAMILY IN FIVE WEEKS

WEBSTER, Feb. 9.—Mrs. Marie Crotteau Martel fell downstairs at her home in North Groverdale yesterday, crushing her skull, breaking her neck and dying instantly.

An extraordinary fate has pursued the Crotteau family from the time that one brother, Henry, died here early in January. Recently Mrs. Martel and her brother, Joseph, who is foreman at the Groverdale company's factory, went to Granby, Que., where their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Crotteau, were sick and died shortly after they arrived.

They were waiting on the Granby station platform to return here after the funeral when a telegram was handed them telling that another brother, Euclid, was dying at St. John's. They had just got back here yesterday from his funeral.

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STEDMAN WAS MURDERED

Inquiry Into Death of New York Cotton Broker Slain at His Home in Connecticut

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—After a cursory examination of the incidents connected with the death of William A. Stedman, the New York cotton broker, who was found slain in his home in Greenwich, Conn., on Saturday, Dr. J. A. Clarke, medical examiner of Greenwich, became far from satisfied yesterday that Mr. Stedman died as a result of a self-inflicted wound.

Dr. Clarke telephoned to Coroner Phelan at Bridgeport late yesterday afternoon, detailing to him the facts of the case that had been gleaned and advising an inquest immediately. Coroner Phelan is expected to act today.

One of the strangest phases of the case, is that Mr. Stedman's skull was first crushed in with a hatchet. The blow was inflicted on the top of his head toward the back, and the hammer head was used instead of the blade.

The bone of the skull was splintered and numerous pieces were driven into the brain. Then at the hospital it was found that an open silver-handled penknife had been driven far into the wound.

Suffered Breakdown Recently

The tragedy has loomed up not only as one of the strangest the authorities of Fairfield county have ever been confronted with, but the wealthy residents of Greenwich have been shocked beyond measure. They welcomed Mr. Stedman among them only three weeks ago.

Mr. Stedman was a member of an old Newport, R. I., family, and junior partner in the cotton brokerage firm of Stephen M. Weld & Co. of No. 82 Beaver street. He was forty-four years old. With his second wife and a ten-year-old son by his first wife, he lived for some time in Garden City, L. I.

From what little could be ascertained from the members of the Stedman household yesterday, Mr. Stedman seemed to improve in health after moving to Greenwich. He even expressed his intention of returning to his office today.

The facts Dr. Clarke established from brief talks with the members of the household were that shortly before 11 o'clock Saturday morning Mr. Stedman, having dressed, went down into the cellar of the house to look at the gauges of the heater. The colored cook said he passed through the kitchen and remarked that he thought it was going to blow up cold and that he thought he could better regulate the heat.

She said that ten minutes later her husband, who acts as butler in the family, went down cellar to empty a waste paper basket. When he came back up stairs she asked him if Mr. Stedman was fixing the heater and he replied that he had not seen Mr. Stedman in the cellar.

The cook told her husband that Mr. Stedman must have been down there and on account of his ill health she said she sent her husband back to see if Mr. Stedman was all right. The butler returned to the cellar and in about a minute rushed back up the stairs shouting that Mr. Stedman was dead.

A trained nurse who had been attending Mrs. Stedman was summoned from her room on the second floor of the house, and she sent the butler for Dr. A. W. Kline, who lives next door. Mrs. Stedman also has been ill.

Counts on Operating Table

As Dr. Clark described the finding of Mr. Stedman, he lay in a large inclosure in the cellar which was used for coal. There was an old fashioned sleigh in one corner and a heap of coal in another. He lay in the middle of the inclosure, with the hatchet under his back.

Dr. Kline found that he was still alive and he was rushed to the Greenwich hospital, where he was immediately prepared for an operation. Dr. W. L. Griswold, the head surgeon of the hospital, began to operate. Up to this time Mr. Stedman had not said a word.

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POLICE STOP SUFFRAGIST

SAID HER SPEECH WAS TOO MUCH LIKE VAUDEVILLE—NEW JERSEY CENSOR RIGHT ON HIS JOB

MONTCLAIR, N. J., Feb. 9.—Montclair suffragists held their first public Sunday meeting yesterday afternoon in the Montclair theatre. One of the speakers, Miss Agnes Best of New York, came under the censor's ban and was stopped before she had concluded her speech.

When the local suffragists first asked for a permit to hold a public meeting on Sunday, members of the town council objected on the ground that such a meeting would be political and would be a precedent for future political meetings. The suffragists explained that the purpose of the meeting was educational; that they were not campaigning or laying down campaign issues. They wanted to discuss the application of the equal suffrage movement to the cause of the laboring women. With this understanding the permit was granted and it was arranged that Arthur G. Wilson, chairman of the police committee of the town council, should be present to see that everything was all right.

The speakers were Miss Margaret Hinchey and Miss Best. Nothing happened during Miss Hinchey's speech, but while Miss Best was talking Mrs. Arthur Hunter, president of the association, stepped forward, tapped Miss Best on the arm and whispered something in her ear.

Miss Best promptly sat down and the meeting went on as if nothing had happened. Miss Best had been giving a series of anecdotes, dealing mostly with the East side of Manhattan. Most of these related to personal experiences and in narrating them she frequently found occasion to imitate the enunciation of the people of whom she spoke.

After the meeting was all over Mr. Wilson explained the reason for the sudden stopping of Miss Best's speech. He said he thought her lecture "savored too much of vaudeville," and that it was outside the bounds of an educational discussion and not in full accord with the statements made when the permit for the meeting was obtained. So he wrote a note objecting to Miss Best's lecture and sent it to Mrs. Hunter, who stopped Miss Best.

Frize waltz, Lincoln's birthday, Asso.

LOWELL MEN ATTENDED

BIG INITIATION OF MYSTIC NOBLES OF GRANADA AT PROVIDENCE, R. I.

A big delegation of Mystic Nobles of Granada of Lowell went to Providence yesterday to witness the initiation of over 200 members into the order, the ceremonies being carried out in a brilliant manner. The Massachusetts men numbering over 500, left Boston at 12.45 on a special train of eight cars. At Providence they were met by the Rhode Island Nobles, 800 strong and marched to Infantry hall, where the initiation was carried out. Heading the line was Grand Monarch McCue of Massachusetts, George M. Harrigan of Lowell, Mayor J. Edward Barry of Cambridge, Mayor Gainer of Providence, former Mayor O'Donnell of Lowell, Past State Deputy Wm. J. O'Brien of Massachusetts and District Deputy J. J. Flanagan of Providence. They made a splendid appearance in the parade.

The initiation was held at Infantry hall with more than 1200 persons present, and followed by a banquet. The postprandial exercises were speeches by the leaders of the order and an excellent entertainment.

Grand Monarch McCue with the degree team from Boston exemplified the degree. The team was Wm. F. Donovan, M. Joseph O'Donnell, William J. O'Brien, Mark B. Mulvey, P. J. Radigan and William J. Radigan and Wm. F. Butler, assisted by the Moorish patrol of 25 men headed by James F. Slattery.

After the banquet, Robert F. Jones, G. M., of Alcazaza caravan 2, introduced Wm. J. Keenan, instigator of mirth. Mayor J. Edward Barry of Cambridge, Mass., congratulated the local caravan on the showing made and declared that through him Mayor Curley of Boston tendered his regrets at not being able to be present. Mayor Barry was given a flattering reception.

Mayor Gainer of Providence, a member of the Alcazar caravan, also spoke. Ex-Mayor James E. O'Donnell of Lowell, Charles F. J. McCue, G. M., and former State Deputy William J. O'Brien of Massachusetts also addressed the gathering. State Deputy Edward J. Sweeney of New Jersey was present as were many prominent Knights of Columbus leaders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

The entertainment consisted of many songs by the Boston and Lowell serenaders, with whom Mayor Barry and ex-Mayor O'Donnell sang. The Bay State delegation left Providence at 8 o'clock, returning by special train to Boston. The Lowell men arrived home at midnight.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Harry Hartley and Miss Albertine Roy were married last night. The ceremony was performed at 7 o'clock at St. Joseph's rectory by Rev. J. H. Racette, O. M. I., Ph. D. The witnesses were Messrs. William Roy and Leandre Frechette.

Broderick's orch., Prescott, tonight.

$4000 MISSING

Director of Bureau of Printing Says it Was Stolen and Destroyed

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Director Ralph of the bureau of printing and engraving declared today that the $4000 missing from the bureau for some time was either stolen or destroyed. Inventory of the bureau's stock practically has been completed and no trace of the sheets of $10 bills has been discovered. Secret service men and others have worked on the case, but not the slightest clew has been discovered.

COUNTRY TO SQUABBLE IN

ONLY WAY TO ASSURE IT IS A FULL POLICY OF INSURANCE, SAYS SIR EDWARD COLES

LONDON, Feb. 9.—"We must have a country to squabble in and the only way to assure that, is a full policy of insurance as represented by a supreme navy," a remark made by Sir Edward Coles, a unionist member of parliament was the keynote of a meeting today of representatives of the city of London, held at the Guildhall under the presidency of the lord mayor.

The requisition for the meeting had been signed by about 1000 of the leading bankers, merchants, shipowners, etc., of all political creeds and it was held for the purpose of assuring the government that the citizens of London would cordially support it in any measures necessary to give effect to the recommendations of the admiralty to ensure the supremacy of the navy and the security of British commerce.

A resolution in this sense was unanimously adopted by the meeting, which represented hundreds of millions of capital.

NEW CLUB FORMED

BY MEMBERS OF NOTRE DAME DE LOURDES PARISH AT THE SCHOOL HALL YESTERDAY

Over fifty men of Notre Dame de Lourdes parish gathered at the parochial school hall in Branch street yesterday afternoon for the purpose of organizing a new club. The affair had been broached out at a previous meeting of a committee of 20 appointed to draw up resolutions and yesterday the entire matter was turned over to the parishioners. At a previous meeting the club has been named Canado-Americain, but yesterday this was changed to Cercle Cartier.

The meeting was called to order at 2 o'clock by George Couture, president pro-tem of the organization, and considerable business was transacted, and before the meeting adjourned 40 members had been enrolled and a board of officers had been selected. The by-laws were read and studied carefully and a few minor changes were made and after interesting remarks and good suggestions had been made by H. J. Turcotte, W. A. Parthenais, George Couture, Mr. Hogue, William and Olivier Renaud, Louis Regnier, Joseph Prevost, Charles E. Branchaud and others, the name of the club was changed from Canado-Americain to Cercle Cartier.

The club wil be a social organization and the members will also attend to naturalization among the Franco-Americains of Notre Dame de Lourdes parish. A committee was appointed to confer with the pastor of the parish, Rev. Leon Lamothe, O. M. I., for the use of the parochial school hall for meetings until such time as permanent quarters are secured by the organization and the pastor cheerfully agreed to allow the men to meet at the hall. It was voted to keep the charter of the club opened for some time, that is not to charge any admission fees until further notice to give all members of the parish the privilege of joining the organization.

The officers elected for a term of one year were as follows: Joseph Provost, president; Ovila Tetreault, first vice-president; Arthur Loranger, second vice-president; Charles E. Branchaud, recording secretary; Alfred Renaud; assistant recording secretary; Charles Larocque, treasurer; Louis Ducharme, assistant treasurer.

PRESIDENT OF HAITI

GEN. ORESTES ZAMOR ELECTED TO SUCCEED MICHAEL ORESTE—NEW CABINET

HAITI, Island of Haiti, Feb. 9.—Gen. Orestes Zamor, who was elected president of Haiti by congress yesterday in succession of Michael Oreste, who fled on the outbreak of the revolution, formed his cabinet today, the portfolios being distributed as follows:

Foreign affairs—J. N. Leger.
Finance—Edmund Lespinasse.
Public works—Gen. Beaufosse Larochie.
Interior—Gen. Carlos Zamor.
Public instruction—M. Baloncour.
War and marine—Gen. Etienne.

STRIKERS REMAIN OUT

TIME LIMIT EXPIRED TODAY AND BUT ONE MAN RETURNED AT FALL RIVER

FALL RIVER, Feb. 9.—The time limit placed on the strikers of the American Print Works to return to work expired today. One striker returned. Nathan Durfee, assistant treasurer of the company, issued a statement that 20 printing machines were running and that the company was getting along very well with the help at hand. The strikers met this morning and voted to remain out.

MONROE VICTIMS

Expert Divers Believe Bodies of 41 Victims Can be Removed

NORFOLK, Va., Feb. 9.—Expert divers who have thoroughly examined the wreck of the Old Dominion steamer Monroe, sunk in collision with the Nantucket, express the belief today that while the bodies of the 41 victims, as well as the cargo, can be removed the vessel itself will be a total loss. They declare the reason that none of the bodies of the dead has come to the surface or been rescued is due to the terrific force of the collision which jammed the timbers and doors of the starboard saloons and anterooms, practically and effectually sealing them from the action of the sea. Divers have found it impossible to open these doors and say that explosives must be used to liberate the dead.

Examination of the exterior by the divers disclosed the fact that near the bridge on the starboard side, below the water line and extending through the hull to the keel there is a ragged hole large enough to permit the passage of half a dozen men abreast.

STUBBORN BOY IN COURT

LECTURED BY JUDGE AND PUT ON PROBATION—NON SUPPORT CASE TRIED

Frederick Mills, a young chap who was charged by his older sister with being a stubborn child, announced that he was guilty with mien and manner which showed that the youngster really thought otherwise.

The boy's mother took the witness stand and said that the boy was a good boy and gave her all of his earnings but that he had been out of work for the past twelve weeks. The boy was all right if let alone, she said.

When cross-questioned by the superintendent the mother admitted that the boy did abuse her with his tongue on occasions but, said she, "he gets nervous and goes all to pieces." "It's nothing but his nerves," affirmed the mother.

Judge Enright talked to the boy for a few minutes and advised him to go to work at once and to calm his nerves and not use bad language to his mother. He was released on probation.

For Non Support

Exilias Paquette pleaded guilty to a complaint charging him with the non-support of his wife and four minor children. The defendant is a good mechanic and draws a large salary each week but spends the majority of his earnings on drink. The court gave him a severe lecture this morning and placed him under a suspended sentence to the house of correction. Paquette agreed to pay his wife $10 each week for the support of his family and promised to quit drinking.

Margaret Bradbury was placed under a suspended sentence to the women's reformatory this morning on the charge of drunkenness. Harry A. Bent was sent to the state farm on a like charge. Matthew Marion was placed under a suspended sentence of two months in jail. Mary Roper withdrew her appeal of Saturday and took a trip up Thorndike street way for a three months' stay. Herbert Harrison, Mary Bradley and Eugene Ducharme were all fined $6 for drunkenness.

John, Maurice and Andrew Vilda were charged with drunkenness and Officer Maloney told the court that a man had told him that the three had assaulted him. The man who alleged the assault, however, did not put in an appearance and the three defendants were released, as it was their first offence. J. Joseph O'Connor, Esq. appeared for the defence.

Officers Maloney and Sullivan testified that Michael Antoniovitch, James Pronca and Alexander St. Tuska were three very drunk individuals Saturday night. The first defendant was beaten up badly and covered with blood when arrested. None of the defendants had imbibed a single glass of beer if their own testimony was to be accepted.

Judge Enright believed the testimony of the officers rather than the tale of the defendants and fined them each $5.

Thomas J. O'Neil went to the state farm. He was out under a suspended sentence to that institution and got loaded up and was arrested Saturday night.

Frank Lynn, a third offender, was fined $15 and allowed two months to pay it in. The court promised Lynn a trip to Bridgewater if he appeared again. Mary J. Brown was fined $6 for drunkenness.

ASSURANCES BY VILLA

RECEIVED AT THE WHITE HOUSE RELATIVE TO TREATMENT OF FOREIGNERS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Indirectly assurances have been received at the White House from General Villa about the proper treatment of foreigners. The representations by American consular officials on the necessity of extending to Spaniards, as well as all foreign subjects, of similar protection have met with compliance.

At the same time Villa, it is understood, will not be disposed to ignore active participation by foreigners in the cause of General Huerta but will extend to any foreign combatant, however, the right of trial.

In the main the administration here is disposed to regard as satisfactory Villa's assurances.

TO FLY 498 MILES TODAY

SAN FRANCISCO AVIATOR TO FLY FROM THAT CITY TO SAN DIEGO, CAL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Silas Christofferson, an aviator, expects to fly from this city to San Diego today. He plans to leave here early in the day and with two stops for oil, lunch and supplies he believes he will reach San Diego in about 11 hours. The distance is 498 miles.

DENIAL BY WALSH

No Truth in Story That He Failed to Sign the Order

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Gov. Walsh stated last night that there is no foundation for the story printed Sunday saying that he had failed to sign the necessary official order confirming the Appointment of the members of the staff.

He said: "There is absolutely no foundation in the story to the effect that my staff have not been properly appointed and confirmed. I cannot understand how such a statement could have been made. Directly after having received the opinion of the attorney general that the adjutant-general legally held office, the papers were sent through in the regular way. The commissions have been signed for a month. As commander-in-chief of the militia I merely had to designate the men on my staff from the line and the commissions of my two personal aides have been sent through the adjutant-general's office in the regular form and signed by me."

BOY KILLED COASTING

DERRY, N. H. LAD OF NINE YEARS OF AGE VICTIM OF ACCIDENT—STRUCK LOG

DERRY, N. H., Feb. 9.—A fatal coasting accident occurred here Saturday. Paul H. Beckford, son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Beckford, being the victim.

The little fellow, almost 9 years old, was sliding down the hill near Couch's pond, and on the ice of the pond. Running into a log, he was thrown from his sled and terribly injured internally. A doctor was called, but the boy expired in a few hours.

He is survived by his parents, two sisters, Bertha and Violet, and two brothers, George H. Jr. and Waldo. The funeral will be Monday at 2 o'clock. The body will be taken for burial to Melrose, Mass. whence the family moved here.

1000 IN BREAD LINE

HUNDREDS OF CHICAGO UNEMPLOYED GIVEN WORK IN ICE-FIELDS

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—Hundreds of Chicago unemployed were given temporary work today in the icefields of Wisconsin and Michigan. Many hundreds of the poor were given improvised quarters last night in police stations. More than 100 men were in a bread line maintained by a private charity last night.

After a day of below zero temperature the thermometer began to climb slowly early today. Yesterday's minimum temperature was 6.7 degrees below zero at 8.30 in the morning. Weather bureau reports show that yesterday was the coldest day experienced in Chicago in two years.

BOY ENDED HIS LIFE

SUICIDE RESULT OF OVERWORK AND STUDY—TRYING TO BECOME A LAWYER

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Morris Fishman, the 20-year-old immigrant boy whose body was found in his room at 179 West Ninth street, South Boston, committed suicide because of overwork and study, it was learned last night.

The young man, who died from gas poisoning, had been in America but four months. He was a porter and window washer at the Haymarket relief station, attended night school and devoted every spare moment of his time to study.

He was educating himself to become a lawyer, and it is believed that his mind became affected.

LADIES OF CHARITY

A special meeting of the Ladies of Charity was held at St. John's hospital Sunday afternoon, Miss Rose A. Dowd presiding.

It was voted to hold meetings every month at the hospital instead of quarterly as heretofore.

Ways and means were discussed to raise funds for the hospital and it was decided to hold an entertainment in the near future.

The following named ladies were chosen unanimously as directors: Mrs. P. Gilbride, Mrs. E. D. Kerwin, Miss Louisa Drach, Miss Margaret J. McCluskey, Mrs. Nano Gallagher Leahy, Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, Mrs. H. C. McOsker, Miss Fanny Maxwell, Mrs. J. H. Donnelly, Mrs. C. D. McCarthy, Mrs. John Murphy, Mrs. E. A. McQuade, Mrs. P. F. Sullivan, Mrs. Charles Keyes, Mrs. James Gookin, Miss Pearl Courtney.

URIC ACID SOLVENT

50 Cent Bottle (32 Doses)

FREE

Just because you start the day worried and tired, stiff legs and arms and muscles, an aching head, burning and bearing down pains in the back—worn out before the day begins, do not think you have to stay in that condition.

Be strong, well and vigorous, with no more pain from stiff joints, sore muscles, rheumatic suffering, aching back or kidney disease.

For any form of bladder trouble or weakness, its action is really wonderful. Those sufferers who are in and out of bed half a dozen times a night will appreciate the rest, comfort and strength thi streatment gives.

To prove the Williams Treatment conquers kidney and bladder diseases, rheumatism and all uric acid troubles, no matter how chronic or stubborn, if you have never used the Williams Treatment, we will give one 50c bottle (32 doses) free if you will cut out this notice and send it with your name and address, with 10c to help pay distribution expenses, to The Dr. D. A. Williams Company, Dept. 2474 P. O. Bldg., East Hampton, Conn. Send at once and you will receive by parcel post a regular 50c bottle, without charge and without incurring any obligations. One bottle only to an address.

BLOWN OFF FIRE LADDERS

Oil Explosions at Fire in Five Story Brick Building on Atlantic Ave., Boston, Today

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Stifling smoke and frequent explosions of oil tanks drove the firemen from their ladders at a fire which destroyed a five story brick building occupied by the Wawood Co., dealers in lubricating oils in Atlantic avenue, early today. Streams directed from the elevated railway structure and roofs and adjoining buildings prevented a spread of the flames to other structures along the water front. The loss was estimated at $50,000.

BOYS DROWNED

Coasted Onto Thin Ice in Pond Near Their Home in Boston

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—The bodies of Robert and Albert Coleman, eight and six years old, sons of John Coleman, a laborer, were found under the ice in a small pond near their home in Forrest Hills today. The children left home yesterday with their sleds. It is believed they coasted onto thin ice.

THE WHITE WAYS WON

TOOK ONE OF SEASON'S FASTEST BOWLING MATCHES FROM T. & S. FIVE—BUNTINGS WON

The White Ways and the Tremont and Suffolk bowling teams rolled a fast contest Saturday night on the White Way alleys, the former five winning the game by the score of 1533 to 1447. Myrick of the winners was high man with 333 and his single of 128 was also high. It was one of the best games that has been rolled off here this winter.

The Crimsons took a close six handed game from the Mathews, the score being 1547 to 1534. Hopkins of the Mathews rolled the high total of 311 and the high single of 122.

In the Concord league the Fairmounts and the Riversides had at it Saturday, with the result that the Fairmounts added another win to their record. Williams of the losers put up the highest total.

The Buntings wrested a game from the Almonts by the score of 1278 to 1247 in their match on the alleys. Mason of the Almonts carried off the individual honors of the contest. The scores:

White Ways—Devlin 315, Hall 290, Dwyer 309, Perrin 286, Myrick 332; totals 1533.

Tremont & Suffolk—Jodoin 266, McDermott 315, Dyer 297, Wynne 293, Marquis 276; totals 1447.

Crimsons—Houston 280, Inglis 223, O'Donnell 258, Bradbury 226, Masher 244, Hubin 307; totals 1547.

Fr. Mathews—O'Brien 201, Hannagan 240, J. O'Brien 257, Hickey 269, Hopkins 311, McAvoy 256; totals 1534.

Fairmounts—McCaffrey 272, Berry 266, Mulligan 250, Gillis 228, A. Doyle 256; totals 1272.

Riversides—Curtin 230, Forbes 247, Williams 283, T. Doyle 259, Jones 228; totals 1247.

U. S. Bunting—Riley 252, Mullen 263, Lynch 259, Brickley 252, Burtt 252; totals 1278.

Almonts—Choquette 242, MacCumland 241, Mason 281, Roberts 240, Harnden 243; totals 1247.

SHOE SHOPS PLEDGED

TO ARBITRATION WITH THEIR EMPLOYES—TO PREVENT A STRIKE

BOCKTON, Feb. 9.—Now that the Fred F. Field company and the Diamond Shoe company have signdd the Boot and Shoe Workers union arbitrationtion contract the entire shoe manufacturing industry of the city stands pledged to employ arbitration rather than strike or lockout in the settlement of labor disputes.

Practically every one of Brockton's 13,000 or more union shoe workers and its 30-odd manufacturing concerns, many of them among the largest in the world, are now a unit for arbitration, and the state board of conciliation and arbitration is in every instance named as the tribunal to decide all disputes arising from working conditions, hours of labor or wage scales.

This means that for the first time in the history of Massachusetts the whole of one of its greatest industries in one of its largest manufacturing cities is pledged to arbitration.

Nor, indeed, is Brockton the limit. In the surrounding shoemaking district there are so pledged nearly 30 other factories and fully 12,000 operatives, making a total of 60 factories and 25,000 workers. In Randolph, Abington, North Abington, Rockland, South Braintree, North Easton, East Weymouth, Holbrook, Bridgewater, Middleboro, Whitman and New Bedford a majority of the factories have signed the agreement.

After 15 years of experience with the arbitration method of settling labor disputes union officials, manufacturers and the officials of the state board are agreed in according to it credit as the biggest factor in making the city's prosperity.

HUMAN ASHES IN THE MAIL

MILFORD, Feb. 9.—The United States has at last become a factor in the undertaking business, it was learned here yesterday, when word arrived that the cremated remains of Miss Helen Carpenter are to be forwarded here from San Jose, Cal.

Miss Carpenter taught school for many years here and in Boston, while independent means enabled her to also devote much time to travel. Her only surviving relative is a newsboy, Arthur Carpenter of Boston. She was born here in 1851 and was a member of the Daughters of the Mayflower and the D. A. R.

Her ashes will be transferred from the postoffice to the family lot in Milford cemetery.

KILLED BY FALL

Fred Cloutier Met Fatal Accident at His Home on Webster Street

Fred Cloutier of 29 Webster street met with a fatal accident Saturday night when he fell down a flight of stairs at his home. Unconscious and suffering from a fracture of the skull, he was removed to St. John's hospital, where he passed away a few hours later. The remains were viewed by Medical Examiner J. V. Meigs, who pronounced death due to accident.

LACOURSE IN PRISON

MISSING HUSBAND IS FOUND IN HOUSE OF CORRECTION—SENT FROM READING

The mysterious disappearance of Ernest Lacourse of 93 Pawtucket street, who left home on Jan. 17 and has not been heard from since, was solved this morning, when The Sun was informed by officials at the Reading police station that Lacourse was arrested in Reading on Jan. 17 for drunkenness and was sentenced to the house of correction in Cambridge for a term of three months.

Follow the crowd, Prescott, tonight.

TWO KILLED IN RACE WAR

ENCOUNTER IN NEGRO SETTLEMENT AT AMERICUS, GA.—TWO CONSTABLES SERIOUSLY HURT

AMERICUS, Ga., Feb. 9.—Marion Bass, a deputy constable was killed; Tucker Cassell, constable, seriously wounded; Lou Larramore, deputy constable, painfully wounded, and Edward Tyson, a negro, killed in a battle late Saturday night at a negro settlement near De Soto, 15 miles from this place.

Cooper Bivins, another negro, was pursued today by a posse with bloodhounds.

According to reports received here late yesterday, two white men were fired on as they passed the negro settlement. Neither was injured, but the matter was reported to county authorities, who went to the scene to arrest the negroes who had done the shooting. When Cassell and his deputies reached the settlement they were greeted with a volley. Bass falling dead at the first fire. Cassell and Larramore, although wounded, returned the fire, killing Tyson. Bivins, said to have taken part in the shooting, escaped.

FIND BODIES IN SNOW

HUSBAND SHOT AND KILLED HIS WIFE AND THEN COMMITTED SUICIDE

TOLEDO, Ohio, Feb. 9.—The bodies of a man and a woman found lying in the snow at Bryan, 25 miles west of this city, bore witness to a tragedy, the details of which reached Toledo yesterday.

Carl Stauffer, returning from Los Angeles after a separation of four years from his wife, Blanche, met her in the street Saturday night when she was returning from a picture show. He shot her twice in the head, and then turned the weapon on himself. Stauffer was 33 years old.

20 dances 10c, Prescott, tonight.

DO NOT SCOLD THE CHILDREN

Nervous mothers, worried from morning till night by the care of children and the duties of the household; nervous children worn out by over-study, unable to sit still or stand still or to keep their minds concentrated on anything long, both need Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to build up the blood and strengthen the nerves.

Try a short treatment with these strengthening pills and watch the color return to pale cheeks and lips, see how the worn nerves recover their poise, note how much less irritating the children become and how much less scolding they need. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a blessing to nervous people everywhere, men as well as women, because they build up the blood and strengthen the nerves. They lighten the cares of life because they give you new strength to meet them.

Nervousness in children should be corrected at once as it is but a short step to St. Vitus' dance. Give them Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to build up their blood and they will become sturdy, pink-cheeked and rugged.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills should be kept in the house. Your own druggist can supply you. Write now to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for free booklet "Home Treatment of Nervous Disorders."

Y. W. C. A. GIRLS

Took Game From Their Haverhill Sisters on Basketball Surface

The Y. W. C. A. girls' basketball team won an easy game from the girls of the Haverhill association by the runaway score of 67 to 6 Saturday night on the local floor. The visitors at no time during the contest had a chance to win.

The passing and general team work of the Lowell girls as well as the individual shooting of Misses Libbee and Leggatt proved the undoing of the Haverhill girls. The visiting team was blanked in the first period while Lowell scored 26 points.

Miss Libbee caged the ball 23 times during the game which, although not a record, is a remarkable performance. Her floor work was above criticism and she made basket after basket from any old angle at all. The score and summary:

LOWELL		HAVERHILL
Frances Leggat	rf	Harriet Dennett
Gertrude Libbee	rf	lb, Bessie Minard
Gladys Pendexter	cc	cc, Sadie Schlenker
Frances Laflamme	sc	sc, Sylvia Claridge
Ethel Geddes	lb	rf, Helen Bagshaw
Eva Armstrong	rb	lf, Abbie McConihe

Summary: Baskets from the floor: Miss Libbee 23, Miss Leggat 6, Miss Pendexter 2, Miss Bagshaw 2, Miss Laflamme, Miss McConihe. Baskets on free tries: Miss Pendexter 3. Free tries missed: Miss Pendexter 3, Miss Bagshaw 2. Fouls: Haverhill 6, Lowell 2. Score by periods: First, Lowell 20, Haverhill 6; second, Lowell 16, Haverhill 2; third, Lowell 31, Haverhill 4; total, Lowell 67, Haverhill 6. Referee: Miss Woodman. Timer: Miss Conneyer. Scorer: Miss Sweatt.

The baseball lineup:

High school: Miss Finnegan c, Miss Bennett p, Miss Crompton ss, Miss Girard 1b, Miss Frade 2b, Miss McManmon 3b.

Y. W. C. A.: Mies Lee c, Miss Lavigne p, Miss Desmond ss, Miss Tibbetts 1b, Miss Gerry 2b, Miss Kelly 3b.

DEFEATED AT BASKETBALL

The Tigers lost to the Y. M. C. A. Employed Boys Saturday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. gym in a fast basketball contest by the score of 34 to 20. The winners had a good knowledge of the game and their team work was superior to that of their opponents. Greenwood scored nine baskets from the floor. The summary:

Y. M. C. A.		TIGERS
Mitchell, lg	rf	Roarke
Edwards, rg	lf	Martin
Clough, Felch, c	c	Lynch
Willis, lf	rg	Jones
Greenwood, rf	lg	Brennan

Score: Y. M. C. A., 34; Tigers, 20. Baskets from the floor: Greenwood 9, Willis 4, Martin 4, Jones 3, Clough, Felch, Mitchell and Brennan. Time: Two 15-minute periods. Referee, Wicke; scorer and timer, Doole.

Y. W. C. A. AUTO RACE

The sound of the auto horn is in the air around 50 John street, for the final days of the membership auto race is at hand. It is anyone's race now and the result cannot be prophesied. The final reports will be made Tuesday evening at a special supper to begin at 6.30. The following Tuesday, Feb. 17, will be given over to the real celebration when all the teams do their stunt and when the total, new and old, membership of the association will be welcomed.

The standing of the contestants at present is as follows: The "Knox," machine steered by Miss Marion Foster has covered 2150 miles and is speeding toward Salt Lake City; the "Rambler," Miss Adelaide Walsh, chauffeur, has traveled 1800 miles and is en route to Denver; the "Buick," Miss Flora Walker, chauffeur, has gone 1650 miles and is taking on gasoline at Lincoln; the "Pierce-Arrow," Miss Gladys Pendexter chauffeur, is at the 1550 mark; Miss Ida Boughton guiding the "Overland," has left Chicago behind and is racing along past the 1250 mile post; while the "Maxwell," Mrs. R. R. Gumb, chauffeur, is at 1200 and the "Ford," Miss Esther Geddes, chauffeur, has reached 1000 miles. Now is the time to boost the good work. Honk! Honk!!

STATUES ARE "PHONEYS"

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Art circles were interested today in statements made by Guhon Borglum, sculptor, that nearly 60 per cent. of all the monuments and statues in the United States, including those in Statuary hall, Washington, were not made by those whose names they bear.

The sculptor was addressing the women's political union yesterday. "Right here in our city," he continued, "I have known two or three sculptors who committed suicide. They had been doing other men's work, the other men getting the credit and they getting barely enough money to exist. I know that most of the work of statuary in this country has not been done by men whose names are on them. That is how America gets her art. Contracting firms get the contract and the honor. Starving artists do the work. The government pays for sculpturing thousands of dollars for which the sculptor gets a hundred or so."

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HEALEY'S ORCHESTRA
Ladies 15c. Gents 25c

Basketball and Dance
TUESDAY EVENING
Highland Club, Princeton St.
Y. M. C. A. 2nd vs. Sherwood Club
ADMISSION, 20c. 8.00 P. M.

BREAKS WORLD'S RECORD

MUNICH, Germany, Feb. 9.—The aviator Ingold yesterday broke the world's record for an endurance flight. He remained in the air for 16 hours and 20 minutes, and covered a distance estimated at 1050 miles without landing. Ingold started at Mulhauser, Alsace, and flew far to the north. He then proceeded southward to Munich, landing in a suburb.

The previous record of 14 hours and 7 minutes was made by Brunclanger at Johannisthal Feb. 2.

C. Y. M. L. GLEE CLUB

A large gathering took place at St. Patrick's parochial school hall last evening, the occasion being a concert under the auspices of the C. Y. M. L. Glee club. The affair was one of the best musical soirees given this season and this was proven by the prolonged applause accorded each number. The program was in charge of Charles Miner and Patrick J. McGarrel, musical director and president of the Glee club, respectively, and it consisted of the following numbers:

Overture, C. Miner, H. Miner and J. Aiken; opening chorus, "Sleigh Ride," "When the Whole World Has Gone Back on You," "The Little Church Around the Corner," "Floating Down the River," and "When It's Moonlight in Dixieland"; "Dream Days," John Molloy; "Million Dollar Doll," John Quinn; "When the Twilight Comes to Kiss the Rose Good-night," Thomas Delmore; "Sit Down, You're Rocking the Boat," Joseph Tobin; recitation, Joseph Kendrigan; "Cross the Great Divide," George Welch; "The Kellys Are at It Again," Patrick J. McGarrel; xylophone solo, Harry Miner; "When You and I Were Young, Maggie," John Noeson; laughing song, James Hession; "The Wounded Heart," Daniel P. McCarthy; whistling solo, Michael Molloy; "My Chain of Memories," James Dowling; "Let's All Go Round to Mary Anne's," Martin Clark; finale, "Flow Along, River Tennessee," "Make Me Love You," "Little Bunch of Shamrocks," and "I Am Going Home."

The members of the Glee club are: P. J. McGarrel, president; Martin Clark, recording secretary; Stephen Hession, financial secretary; John Ginivan, vice president and interlocutor; J. O'Connor, T. Delmore, J. Molloy, J. Quinn, J. Tobin, J. Kendrigan, George Welch, H. Miner, J. Neeson, J. Hession, D. McCarthy, M. Molloy, J. Dowling, J. Danckert, P. Keefe, J. Foster, J. Boland, F. Welch, J. Flannery, J. Magnon, J. Martin, S. Gilbride, G. Carrol, G. Wilton and W. Spillane.

LOWELL MAN TO SPEAK

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—The second annual celebration of Lincoln day by the progressives of Greater Boston will be held Thursday evening, the anniversary of Lincoln's birth, in Faneuil hall, under the auspices of the progressive city committee.

Leading the list of speakers will be Daniel Cosgrove, twice the party's candidate for lieutenant-governor; the Hon. Joseph Walker, former republican nominee for governor and now head of the progressive state legislative bureau; Geo. P. Webster of Boxford, candidate for speaker of the house this year, and Chairman Matthew Hale of the progressive state committee.

Charles Sumner Bird, who had intended to speak at the meeting, has been forced to cancel the engagement, as he is to be the chief speaker at the Lincoln day celebration in New York that evening.

The meeting will be presided over by Lauriston Ward, president of the city committee.

GILES MANDEVILLE DEAD

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 9.—Giles Mandeville, the oldest builder in the state and uncle of Schuyler Colfax, vice president of the United States during President Grant's first term, died here yesterday, aged 99.

DRIVEN OUT BY FIRE

Occupants of Apartment in Boston Block Forced to Flee Into Street—$1500 Damage

BOSTON, Feb. 9—Occupants of several apartments in the upper stories of the four-story brick building at 1235-1237 Washington street were forced to flee into the street when fire broke out in the basement at 8 o'clock last night.

Smoke from a lively basement fire filled all the upper stories and for a time it was feared that all would not get out alive. Policemen and firemen helped several women and children to reach the street.

The fire was in the establishments of the Standard Shoe company and the M. M. Litchfield company. Damage of about $1500 was caused.

TEMPERANCE MEETING

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Lowell has invited the unions of Tyngsboro, Pepperell, Ayer, Westford and Dracut to meet with them in the rooms of the Y. W. C. A. on John street on Thursday, Feb. 12, for a temperance inspiration meeting.

During the past two months several meetings of this kind have been held under the auspices of the Middlesex County W. C. T. U., and much temperance sentiment has been created thereby.

The speakers Thursday are to be the vice president-at-large of the Massachusetts W. C. T. U., Mrs. Ella A. Gleason of Winchester, and Mrs. Augusta R. Brigham of Malden, secretary of Middlesex County W. C. T. U., both of whom are well known in Lowell.

At a recent meeting of this kind in Worcester twenty women came forward and joined the local union, and Mrs. Gleason pinned the white ribbon bow, which is the badge of the organization, upon each one, and it is hoped that there will be as many new members in Lowell.

Mrs. Lily A. Clark, president of Lowell W. C. T. U., will preside, and at the close of the meeting light refreshments will be served by Lowell and Dracut ladies. Everybody is invited to be present.

Good time at Asso., Lincoln's birthday.

BASEBALL MEN IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Baseball owners and officials from near and far are gathered here today and others are on the way. The announced purpose of their visit is to attend the schedule meetings of the International league, the National and the American leagues. The real purpose, however, is the menace of the Federal league, which has loomed large on the baseball horizon this winter.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	77⅝	76¼	77
Am Can	31⅝	30¾	30¾
Am Can pfd	93	93	93
Am Car & Fn	52¼	52	52¼
Am Cot Oil	46½	45½	46
Am Locomo	34⅞	34¼	34¾
Am Smelt & R	69⅝	69	69⅝
Am Smelt & R pf	103¾	103¼	103¼
Am Sugar Rfn	107	107	107
Anaconda	37⅞	37¼	37⅝
Atchison	98⅞	98¼	98⅜
Atch pf	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
Balt & Ohio	92½	92	92⅝
Br Rap Tran	91¼	91⅛	91⅝
Canadian Pa	218⅛	217	217½
Cent Leather	31¼	30⅞	30⅞
Cent Leather pf	100	100	100
Ches & Ohio	66¼	65¼	65¼
Chi & Gt W	13⅝	13⅛	13⅜
C C C & St L	38	38	38
Col Fuel	33⅞	33¾	33¾
Consol Gas	136½	136	136
Den & Rio G	17½	17½	17½
Dis Secur Co	19	18½	18½
Erie	31	30¾	30¾
Gt North pf	133	132	132
Gt N Ore ctf	36⅞	36½	36¾
Illinois Cen	110½	110⅜	110½
Int Met Com	16	15⅝	15⅝
Int Met pf	62	61¼	61⅞
Int Paper	10	10	10
Int Paper pf	38¼	38⅛	38⅛
Kan City So	26½	26⅜	26¾
K City So pf	61¼	61¼	61¼
Kan & Tex	22¾	22¾	22¾
Lehigh Valley	153⅛	151½	151⅛
Mex Cent	12⅝	12¼	12¼
Missouri Pa	27⅛	26⅞	26⅞
N Y Central	91½	89⅞	89⅞
Nor & West	104½	103⅞	103⅞
No Am Co	70	70	70
North Pac	115¾	115¾	115¾
Pennsylvania	112⅝	112	112
People's Gas	123	123	123
Pressed Steel	43½	42½	43
Pullman Co	156	156	156
Ry St Sp Co	31⅝	31¾	31¾
Reading	168¾	167⅞	167⅞
Rock Is	7⅛	5¾	6
Rock Is pf	13½	10⅞	11
St L & So'wn	26¼	26¼	26¼
St. Paul	104	103½	103½
So Pac	97¾	96¾	96¾
Southern Ry	27⅞	27	27
Southern Ry pf	83¾	83½	83½
Tenn Copper	36⅛	35⅞	36⅛
Tex Pac	16	15½	15½
Third Ave	44¾	44	44¾
Union Pac	163⅛	162⅛	162½
Union Pac pf	85⅛	85	85¼
U S Rub	59⅞	58	59
U S Rub pf	101⅞	101⅞	1 1⅞
U S Steel	66⅞	65⅞	65½
U S Steel pf	111	110¾	110¾
U S Steel 5s	103⅛	102½	102½
Utah Copper	55½	54⅞	55½
Wabash R R	3	3	3
Wab R R pf	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛
Westinghouse	70⅞	70	70½
Western Un	63⅞	63⅞	63⅞

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Mercantile paper 3 3-4 to 4 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange easy, 60 day bills 483.20, for demand 485.70, commercial bills 483. Bar silver 7 3-4; Mexican dollars 45 1-4. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

PRICES ROSE SHARPLY

AT OPENING TODAY—ADVANCE IN AMERICAN STOCKS ABROAD CAUSED UPTURN

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The amount of orders on hand at the opening today was unusually light for the beginning of a week's business but the supply of stocks was not large and prices rose sharply. The upturn was influenced by the advance in American stocks in London. American Tobacco moved most widely with an advance of 3½. Oil shares again developed strength, Texas Co. gaining two points and Mexican Petroleum 1¾. Advances of about a point were made by Reading, U. P., Can. Pac., New York Central, Rock Island pfd., Steel, Cotton Oil and American Car and Foundry. International Harvester lost one. Rock Island collaterals made a new low record at 43½.

After a brisk advance in the early session the market grew quiet today but prices were well maintained. The steady absorption for investment account recently apparently reduced the floating supply of stocks and shorts who attempted to cover were forced to raise their bids. London operators bought freely here, especially in steel. Buying of the coppers in spite of the fall in the metal prices abroad was regarded as forecasting the strong monthly statement by producers.

Trading diminished in the afternoon but the undertone was firmer. Weakness of special issues, such as New York Central, Baltimore & Ohio and the Rock Island shares was lost sight of on account of the demand for the standard shares. The decrease of over 4,000,000 pounds in copper supplies, as shown in the monthly statement led to lively speculation in the copper stocks and Amalgamated rose 2 1-2. Active dealings in the stocks of the Standard Oil group continued in the outside market with further erratic fluctuations. Atlantic Refining fell 105 points.

The market closed heavy. Unloading of stocks bought for the long account and selling by the bear faction completed the route of the bull interests. The break in various low priced issues had a damaging influence. Prices of the active issues shaded further but net changes as a rule were unimportant.

COTTON SPOT

Cotton spot closed quiet. Middling Uplands 12.55, Middling Gulf 12.80. Sales, 1400 bales.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
RAILROADS			
Boston & Albany	190½	190½	190½
Bos & Maine	48⅛	48⅛	48⅛
N Y & N H	73½	73	73¼
MINING			
Allouez	40½	40½	40½
Arcadian	3⅞	3¾	3¾
Arizona Com	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Cal & Ariz	68¾	67¾	68½
Cal & Hecla	450	412¾	450
Centennial	18	18	18
Chino	43½	42¾	43
Copper Range	39⅞	39⅛	39½
E Butte	12½	12¼	12½
Franklin	4⅛	4	4
Granby	89½	88	88½
Greene-Cananea	41⅛	41	41½
Hancock	20½	20½	20½
Kerr Lake	4¾	4¾	4¾
La Salle	4¾	4¾	4¾
Mass	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Mayflower	8½	8½	8½
Mohawk	45	45	45
Nipissing	6½	6¼	6¼
North Butte	30⅛	29½	29⅞
Old Colony	5	5	5
Old Dominion	53	53	53
Osceola	82¾	82	82¾
Quincy	66½	66	66½
Ray Con	20⅛	19⅞	20
Santa Fe	2	2	2
Shannon	7	6⅞	6⅞
Superior	30⅞	30½	30½
Superior & Boston	2¼	2¼	2¼
Tamarack	39	38	38
Trinity	4⅞	4½	4½
Utah Cons	10⅜	10	10⅜
Winona	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	121⅜	121⅛	121⅛
New Eng Tel	140½	140½	140½
MISCELLANEOUS			
Am Pneumatic	4	3¾	4
Mass Gas	94	93¾	94
Mass Gas pf	93	93	93
United Fruit	170½	170½	170½
United Sh M	56½	56¼	56¼
UNLISTED SECURITIES			
Alaska Gold	22⅞	23⅞	22⅞
Am Ag Chem Com	54¼	53½	53½
Am Ag Chem pf	96	95⅞	95⅞
Am Woolen pf	82	82	82
American zinc	20¼	20	20
Butte & Superior	36¼	35¾	35⅞
Isle Royale	23	23	23
Lake Copper	9½	9¼	9½
Miami Copper	23½	23¼	23½
Pond Creek	19	19	19
Swift & Co.	107½	107½	107½
U S Smelting	42½	42¼	42¼
U S Smelting pf	48¾	48½	48½
Utah-Apex	2½	2½	2½

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—The demand for local mining shares opened light today with values holding steady. Granby sold at 89 and North Butte at 29 1-2 during the early trading.

COTTON FUTURES

	Opening	Close
March		12.03
May	11.76	11.77
July	11.71	11.73
August	11.51	11.50
October	11.33	11.39

ROYAL ARCANUM

Annual Meeting of the Hospital Bed Association Held Yesterday

The annual meeting of the Royal Arcanum Hospital Bed association was held in Odd Fellows Temple, Middlesex street, yesterday with a good attendance of the representatives of the various local councils, President Stillings in the chair.

Various reports were read and approved including the treasurer's which shows a good balance on hand after paying all claims. During the year about $200 has been paid to various hospitals for the care of sick members.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

Eugene I. Stillings, president; Ragna Johnson, vice president; A. M. Huntoon, treasurer; Harvey J. Chase, secretary; John S. Jackson, chairman, Loren Fuller, James J. Dunn, Albert Bergeron, T. Reinsteirna; finance committee, Loren Fuller; T. Reinsteirna, Jas. J. Dunn; auditing committee, John S. Jackson, Harvey J. Chase, T. Reinsteirna; executive committee, board of trustees.

It was voted that the secretary write and ask each of the councils in Lowell and North Billerica to hold whist parties on an early date for the benefit of the association.

A committee was appointed to arrange for an auction sale and dance in the near future. The committee was John S. Jackson, A. M. Huntoon, James J. Dunn, T. Reinsteirna and E. I. Stillings.

After an informal discussion the meeting adjourned until March 1st.

NOTES OF THE C.Y.M.L.

INTERESTING MEETING HELD YESTERDAY—MANY EVENTS BEING PLANNED FOR NEXT MONTH

A special meeting of the members of the C. Y. M. L. was held in their rooms yesterday morning at 10.30 o'clock. The meeting was called to order by President J. J. Ginnivan. The first business was that of the election of a floor director for the dance on March 17th, Mr. Fred Welch was elected by a unanimous vote. The drama, "Robert Emmett," will be presented the same evening.

It was voted to hold a third tournament with the Holy Name society of St. Patrick's parish on Feb. 19th. The pool and game committee will have charge of this affair.

The next ladies' night will be held in the rooms Feb. 11th. A basketball game between the second team and some unknown five will be held the same evening, and the entertainment committee promises a good time for all.

There were some very interesting remarks by different members on the second basketball team who have accepted the challenge of the Y. M. C. I. second team for a series of three games.

A "Farmer's Ball" will be held in Associate hall May 5th. This is something new for the members.

The "Glee Club" gave a free concert in t ehschool hallshrdi in the school hall which was well attended, and it shows that the club under the personal direction of Mr. Minder is proving a success.

The second team plays the Mathew A. C. at basketball in the gymnasium Feb. 10th. The team has already won 10 straight games.

PUT IT OVER FEDERALS

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE MAGNATES TO TRANSFER JERSEY CITY CLUB TO BROOKLYN

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—It was announced here today at the meeting of the magnates of the International league that the franchise of the Jersey City club would be transferred to Brooklyn in order to discourage the Federal league from entering that city. This was the general topic of discussion about the corridors of the hotel where the International leaders went into session this afternoon, ostensibly for the purpose of arranging the schedule for the coming season. Report had it that this schedule would be arranged so as to allow the new Brooklyn team to play on the National league grounds there while the National league is out of town.

President Barrow refused to discuss the subject before calling the meeting to order. He said the new schedule would be ready Feb. 17.

J. J. Stein, the owner of the Buffalo club of the International league, said:

"The Federals have not a chance insofar as Buffalo is concerned. They can't get grounds that would be suitable for anything except amateur games in our city, and if they did they would not make enough money to pay them for the trouble, because my club is so firmly established and so well liked that any other club would get a frosty reception."

Speaking of the drafting privilege, Stein added:

The major leagues impose a great hardship on us when they take the best players from us at the close of the season. We have the work of developing the player only to lose him for less than a tenth of what he is worth. We don't care about the money the draft brings to the club; we want the good will of the fans and that is generated by the good players, so we're going to try to force the majors to give up their drafting privileges at the A. A. league."

A major league committee to consider possible changes in the rules of the game was also in session this afternoon. The committee consisted of John Folger, secretary of the New York baseball club; Hank O'Day, and Miller Huggins.

COUNTY REPORTS

The reports of the county treasurer and county commissioners for 1913 are now being distributed. The treasurer's report gives the county debt as $456,600, and of this $130,000 was contracted on account of addition to the courthouse in Lowell, and $20,000 on account of addition to Middlesex County Training school at North Chelmsford.

There are but two cities that beat Lowell on the amount collected for dog taxes. In Cambridge, the sum of $4105.20 was collected; in Newton, $3446.40, and in Lowell, $3401.20. The city of Lowell contributed most in dog fines, the amount being $25.60.

SOLD TO ATHLETICS

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., Feb. 9.—William Kopf, of this city, received notice today that he had been sold by the Cleveland Americans to the Philadelphia Athletics. He is an infielder.

DEATHS

ARSENAULT.—Died this afternoon at his home on Ludlam street, Joseph Arsenault, aged 42 years. He is survived by his wife Celia and two daughters, Gertrude and Lillian; five sisters, Amanda, Albina, Malvina, Victorine and Anna; four brothers, Arthur, Henry Jr., Alfred and Auguste.

BIG DECREASE IN STOCK

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The statement of the Copper Producers' association as of today shows a decrease in stocks on hand of 4,142,152 pounds.

NIAGARA RIVER WATER

NEW YORK STATE OFFICIALS URGE DIVERSION FOR POWER PURPOSES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Gov. Glynn, Attorney General Carmody and other New York state officials urged the internal affairs committee today to authorize the diversion of the Niagara river water for power purposes at an aggregate daily rate of 20,000 cubic feet a second within New York's jurisdiction.

The delegation later conferred with Chairman Sparkman of the rivers and harbors committee, urging improvement of the Hudson river by deepening of the channel, the improvement of East river, Lake Champlain and other state projects.

Interfere with state regulation of Niagara water except as it might affect commerce or national defense. They favored the bill which under the treaty with Great Britain of Jan. 11, 1909, would permit the diversion up to 20,000 cubic feet a second, instead of the 65,000-odd feet pursuant to permits by the secretary of war at the application of state officials.

JUDGE QUINN STRICKEN

SALEM, Feb. 9.—Judge Joseph Quinn was taken suddenly ill on the superior court bench here today. Physicians, who were in court, attended him and he was taken home, court being adjourned for the day. It was believed that Judge Quinn's illness was not serious.

ONE PERSON KILLED

And 14 Injured When Train Was Wrecked By Broken Rail at Sioux City

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Feb. 9.—One person was killed and 14 injured when Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha train No. 9 was wrecked by a broken rail at Bigelow, Minn., early today.

ORDERED TO THE RESCUE

Revenue Cutter Androscoggin Sent Out Today to Bay of Islands to Find the Potomac

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The revenue cutter Androscoggin was ordered today from the Maine coast to the Bay of Islands to rescue the navy tug Potomac, caught in the ice packs, where she had gone on a mission of succor to ice imprisoned fishermen.

The Potomac left Lark Harbor last Thursday for North Sydney and has not been heard from since. Officials think she is caught in the ice and with only a low power wireless apparatus cannot tell of her plight. She carries a crew of 46. The Androscoggin, one of the stout ships of the Atlantic winter patrol, was hurried out today on wireless orders from Captain Commandant Berthelf.

SENATE PASSES BILL

Fortifications Appropriation Bill Carrying $6,079,000 Accepted Today

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The senate today passed the fortifications appropriation bill carrying $6,079,000 and materially increasing the house appropriations for artillery and ammunition.

PRESIDENT ON LITERACY TEST

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—President Wilson told callers today that he had given his views on the literacy test in the pending immigration bill to Chairman Smith of the senate committee. The president declined to say what his views were and so did the senator. Many opposed to the test claim the president's support.

CHARLES MANNING HELD

Accused as Accessory to Miss Herdman Who Killed His Wife and Ended Her Own Life

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 9.—Accused as an accessory to Miss Hazel Herdman, the mother of his 18 months old boy, who on Friday shot and killed his wife and then ended her own life the following day after confessing her crime, Charles I. Manning today was held in custody while funeral services were held over the bodies of the two victims of the love drama.

From his cell Manning made the arrangements for the funeral of his wife, while Arthur J. Herdman, the Pompton Turnpike innkeeper, claimed the body of his daughter and arranged for its burial.

Early today the police detained Mrs. Sadie E. Garrabrants, sister of Manning, with whom he has lived since his separation from his wife. She is held as a material witness in the case.

The charge of murder against Manning, the police said, was decided upon early today after the accused man had been questioned off and on since late Saturday. Statements made by two women and a young man who were also brought to headquarters influenced the police to bring the murder charge against Manning. One of the witnesses was Mrs. Garrabrants. The identity of the other two witnesses was kept a secret by the police.

Miss Herdman in her statement attempted to exonerate Manning, but Chief Long says that evidence had been unearthed to show that he was an accessory and that he took Miss Herdman in his auto before the murder was committed.

GIRL WROTE TO MANNING

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 9.—The fate of Charles I. Manning, for the love of whom Hazel Herdman shot and killed his wife and then killed herself, may depend on the contents of the letter which she wrote to Manning before she took poison on Saturday.

Though still in custody of the police Manning had not been arraigned in court up to early this afternoon. The authorities had, however, preferred a charge of murder against him.

While published extracts of the girl's letter which Manning turned over to the police in no way implicates him the police intimated today that it contained certain references which warranted them in holding him as a possible accessory before and after the crime. They refused to make public the full text of the missive.

500 RETURN TO WORK

EMPLOYES OF STUEBENVILLE, O., PLANT ON STRIKE SINCE JULY—500 STILL OUT

STUEBENVILLE, O., Feb. 9.—Five hundred of the one thousand employes of the Pope plant of the Phillips Sheet & Tin Plate Co., returned to work here today after a strike lasting since last July. Five hundred more will begin work March 1. No question of wages was involved, the men striking for recognition of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel & Tin workers. The company agreed to recognize a local committee but not the union.

WOMEN DISAPPOINTED

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENT FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE WAS DEFERRED BY SENATE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Consideration of the proposed constitutional amendment for woman suffrage was deferred again in the senate today because several senators gave notice they wished to discuss it later. A large gathering of suffrage supporters, which packed the galleries expecting to see the resolution pass was disappointed.

ARREST BANK PRESIDENT

CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT—ALLEGED SHORTAGE OF $1,000,000

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 9.—C. H. Raine, president of the Mercantile bank, one of the leading financial institutions in the city was charged with embezzlement in a warrant sworn out today by Z. N. Estes, county attorney general.

The accounts of the bank, which is a state institution, are alleged to be short between $700,000 and $1,000,000. State banking officials ordered the institution closed after the reputed shortage became known yesterday.

E. C. Hutton, state superintendent of banking, was appointed receiver for the bank in accordance with a chancery bill filed by attorneys representing the bank's directors. Investigation of the bank's condition was started immediately.

J. C. Ottinger, president of the Memphis Clearing House association, issued a statement declaring that none of the members was affected by the failure of the Mercantile bank.

The visit of members of the state board of health to this city for the purpose of looking over sites for a contagious hospital has been postponed until next Saturday.

STEAMER ON FIRE

BORDEAUX OF FRENCH TRANSATLANTIC LINE DAMAGED TO EXTENT OF $20,000

HAVRE, France, Feb. 9.—Fire on board the steamer Bordeaux of the French transatlantic line did damage to the extent of about $20,000 today. The vessel was lying in the harbor and all of her cargo had been discharged. She arrived here on Jan. 21.

WOMAN 107 YEARS OLD

MRS. BRIDGET D. CURRAN CELEBRATED HER BIRTHDAY YESTERDAY

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, Pa., Feb. 9.—Mrs. Bridget D. Curran celebrated her 107th birthday here yesterday at the home of her daughter. She ate a hearty dinner. She possesses all her faculties and is in excellent health.

Mrs. Curran, who was born in Ireland in 1807, has four sisters living, the "baby" being 84.

Her mother lived to be more than 104 years old.

IN SERIOUS CONDITION

CLARK MULHOLLAND OF WILLIE STREET TAKEN WITH A HEMORRHAGE AT POLICE STATION

Clark Mulholland of 52 Willie street was taken with a hemorrhage at the police station last night and was at once removed to the Chelmsford street hospital. His condition was very critical last night and up to this afternoon no symptoms of improvement have been noticed by the physicians. What brought on the attack is not known.

BASKETBALL
Y. M. C. I. vs. LAWRENCE M. A. A.
Y. M. C. I. HALL
TUESDAY NIGHT
Admission ..... 15 Cents

THEATRE VOYONS
(The House Exclusive)
"WILD BEASTS AT LARGE"
Two Part Vitagraph Comedy, a Continual Laugh
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S. and A. Drama
"HIS CODE OF HONOR"
Featuring Harry Myers
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The Greatest Show in New England. Every Reel Exclusive

VERMONT COWS
Thursday, February 12, 1914, at 2 o'clock p. m. at 51 Cushing St., Lowell, Mass., I will sell at Public Auction a carload of choice Vermont cows. They are all fresh milkers or close springers. Also 15 calves in one lot, at 2 o'clock sharp.
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YOUNG MAN WANTED FOR LIGHT work, Friday afternoons. Apply 273 Nesmith st.

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FINANCE COMMISSION

GOVERNOR WILL NOT APPOINT CARR, IT IS SAID—WILL GO OUTSIDE BOARD FOR CHAIRMAN

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Governor Walsh will not name Charles L. Carr of the finance commission as chairman of that body to succeed John A. Sullivan.

He stated to the members of the finance commission who called upon him to indorse Mr. Carr that he intended to go outside of the body for a chairman. The only republican that the governor has considered for the place is Robert J. Bottomley of the Good Government association.

The governor has stated to those who are interested in having Mr. Bottomley named, that he believes him to be one of the best qualified men in the city for the office, because of his training and experience in municipal affairs, but that he prefers to get a democrat for the place.

Corporation Counsel Corbett has been suggested for chairman to succeed Mr. Sullivan. It would be an interesting turn of events if the man removed by Mayor Curley from the head of the law department should be named as the head of the finance commission, thereby taking the place of chairman Sullivan, his successor in office.

John R. Murphy of Charlestown has also been suggested, and is being given consideration for the place. It is understood that Mr. Murphy has the backing of Representative Lomasney.

Governor Walsh states that he is anxious to get a man for the place who will be able to cooperate with the mayor and the city government as well as to criticise.

The governor will send his first big message to the legislature this week on the institutions. It is understood that he will recommend the abolition of boards of trustees and the establishment of a central management with a paid executive head. Under the scheme advanced by the board of efficiency and economy, the heads of the various state departments will be paid and made responsible to the central board of managers. They will be designated as secretaries.

This kind of an organization has been attempted very successfully in Ohio and Illinois. Mr. Walsh has arranged conferences with various boards of trustees for this week to discuss the work of the various state departments.

RAINING IN LONDON

BUT GIRLS DON'T CARE—THEIR TROUSERS ARE TURNED UP AT THE ANKLE—NAUGHTY!

LONDON, Feb. 9.—Fashionable women in London are agitated over the latest feminine mode, which is the creation of a well-known Parisian couturier of the Rue de la Paix. It is a walking costume, consisting of a short coat and a "wrap-over" skirt, fastening in front over a pair of trousers. The trousers have the fashionable centre crease and are turned up at the ankle.

INSURANCE OF WORKMEN

FRANKLIN MacVEAGH, CHAIRMAN OF INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF SOCIAL INSURANCE

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The organization committee of the first international congress of social insurance, to be held in Washington in October, 1915, has elected Franklin MacVeagh, ex-secretary of the treasury, to be its chairman.

The congress, among other subjects, will discuss insurance of workmen against accident, sickness and invalidism. The congress is primarily an official institution, its members being delegates from the principal governments of the world.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

FOR THE "CAUSE"

Woman Suffrage the First Question on Senate's Calender

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—With their minds preoccupied with immigration problems, trust legislation, treaty obligations and President Wilson's determination for reversal of policy on the Panama tolls question, administration leaders in congress had almost forgotten that they are face to face with the equal suffrage question.

Today the resolution to provide for a constitutional amendment extending suffrage to women is first on the calendar of business in the senate. Senator Ashurst, who is guiding the destinies of the resolution, does not expect it to come to vote, because several senators have notified him that they would like to discuss it.

THE TITANIC DISASTER

COURT OF APPEALS DISMISSED APPEAL OF WHITE STAR CO. FROM DECISION

LONDON, Feb. 9.—The court of appeals today dismissed the appeal of the White Star S. S. Co. from a decision of the king's bench court on June 30, declaring illegal the condition printed on the steamship tickets exempting the company from liability for loss by a passenger, even through negligence of th company's servants.

The question of legality of this exempting clause had been raised in a test case brought by an Irish farmer claiming damages for the loss of his son i nthe Titanic disaster.

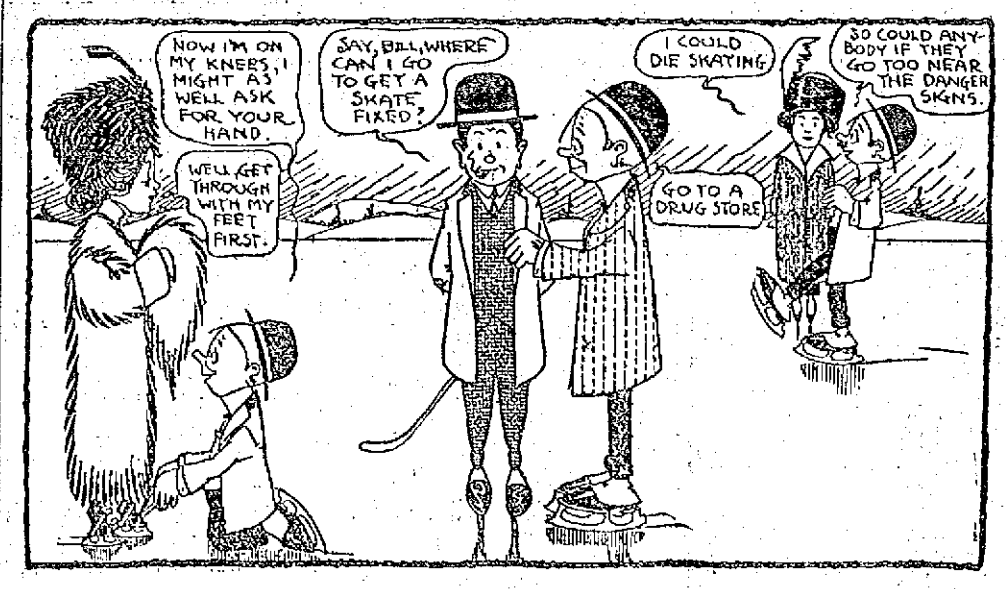
LECTURE ON SPAIN

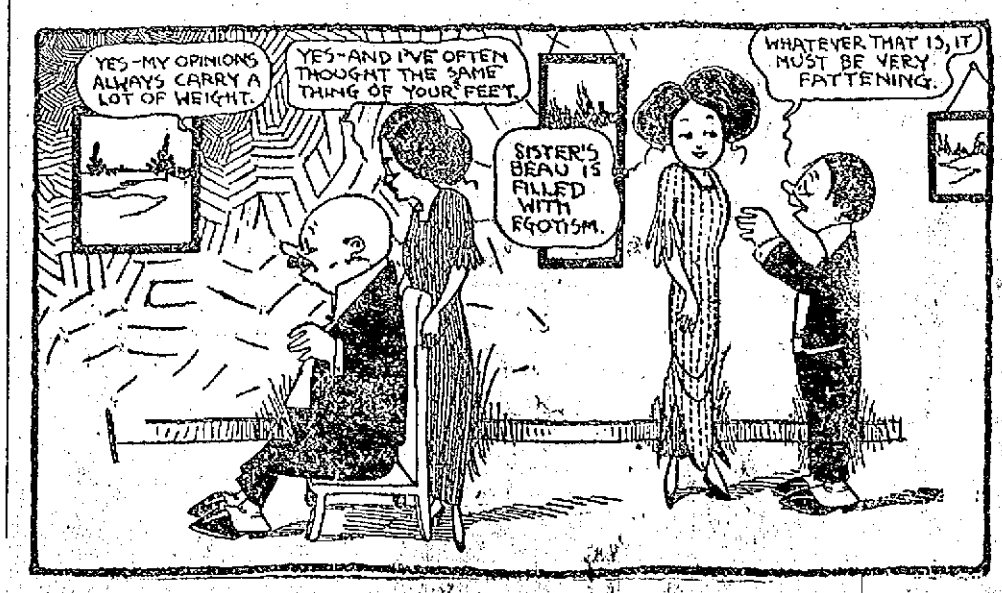
Spain is a fascinating country in many ways. It is rich in history and architectural treasures. Many stereopticon views showing some of them will be displayed at the talk which Mr. P. S. Marden will give in the People's Club course Wednesday at 8 o'clock. The public is invited and there will be no charge for admission. The hall is in the Runels building, Merrimack square, and the elevator will run.

LINEUP OF PRISONERS

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The daily lineup of prisoners at "headquarters," an institution that was abolished three years ago when Rhinelander Waldo became police commissioner was resumed today. A platform has been erected in the gymnasium of headquarters building and each prisoner will be walked about it while about half of the city's detective force, masked, will note his appearance and movements.

A LITTLE NONSENSE





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LEGISLATIVE HEARINGS

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in H. 793, that Lowell be authorized to acquire and rent land and structures for a municipal market, at room 436, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 10th, at 10.30 a. m. Andrew P. Doyle, Chairman. Arthur G. Greaney, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in H. 942, that park and reservation police or watchmen shall have one day off in every fifteen; at room 436, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 10th, at 10.30 a. m. Andrew P. Doyle, Chairman. Arthur G. Greaney, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Election Laws will give a hearing to parties interested in the following proposed legislation: H. 806, relative to notices or warrants for calling elections; H. 362, that district attorneys and county officers be nominated and elected in a non-partisan manner; H. 207, for a change in the hours of voting at primaries and elections; H. 612, relative to the nomination and election of county officers in Dukes County; H. 809, relative to the number of signatures required for the nomination of candidates for state officers; H. 1278, that voting be made compulsory and to provide a penalty for failure to vote at elections; H. 959, relative to elections in the city of Holyoke; H. 1115, for repeal of all laws governing caucuses or primaries; S. 244, that the hours of opening and closing the polls at primaries be made more uniform; H. 1275, for majority rule in elections; and H. 1587, relative to a preferential system of voting at elections in the town of Norwood, at room No. 441, State House, on Tuesday, February 10, at 10 o'clock, a. m. John H. Sherburne, Chairman. John J. Gilbride, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Insurance will give a hearing to parties interested in H. 355, on appraising personal property before insuring; S. 163, that mutual fire and mutual accident companies be liable in cases of bankruptcy, etc., of insured; S. 164, as to Mass. Employes Insurance Association; H. 789, that certain life policies be incontestable after the payment of first premium; H. 981, on unclaimed commissions in hands of life companies; at room 505, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 10th, at 10.30 a. m. Walter E. McLane, Chairman. Daniel J. Chapman, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 1098, for the promotion of the health and efficiency of members of fire departments of certain cities; and House No. 171, for increased efficiency in fire departments in cities of over forty thousand inhabitants; at room No. 436, State House, on Thursday, Feb. 12, at 10.30 a. m. Andrew P. Doyle, Chairman. Arthur G. Greaney, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Insurance will give a hearing to parties interested in the following proposed legislation: S. 81, on organizing mutual marine insurance companies; H. 979, for charter for The Automobile Mutual Fire Insurance Co.; S. 258, to unify mortality claims of savings and insurance banks; H. 1768, to prohibit discrimination, etc., of premiums other than life policies, and H. 1769, to prohibit discrimination, etc., of premiums on life policies, at room No. 505, State House, on Thursday, Feb. 12, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M. Walter E. McLane, Chairman. Daniel J. Chapman, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 6, 1914. The Committee on Mercantile Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate No. 303, to limit the hours for doing junk business; S. No. 304, to revoke the charter of French King Rapids Power Co.; H. 1244, preliminary report of the special commission of 1913 on the construction of buildings, etc.; S. 305, for elevator-rescue devices; H. 1315, on licenses for business chance brokers, etc.; and H. 1642, on the supervision of steam power and plant fitting; at room No. 431, State House, on Thursday, Feb. 12, at 10.30 a. m. E. C. R. Bagley, Chairman. David F. Sullivan, Clerk of the Committee.

CO. M WINNERS

Defeated Co. G of Woburn in All Departments at the Armory

Company G of the Fifth, whose home is in Woburn, received a bad beating Saturday night at the hands of Co. M of the local militia on the floor of the Westford street armory. M athletes took all the possible points, shutting out the visitors without a chance.

The basketball game between the two teams was very close, M winning by only a one-basket margin. Moran caged the ball five times and proved the star of his team.

Although the Woburn team included the two Kean brothers in their shooting team they went down to defeat in this department. Sergt. Kean was high man with 79. The bowling was also a win for the Lowell company. Davis put up the best total for the locals. The scores:

Basketball

CO. G	CO. M
Mobbs f	lb Bickford
Hammond lf	rb Moran
Henly, Elliot c	c Gleason
Curtin rb	lf Hurley
Kerwin lb	rf McDermott

Score: Company M 14, Company G 12. Baskets: Moran 5, Kerwin 3, Hurley 2, Curtain, Mobbs. Fouls, M 6, G 2. Referee, Mann, K. Sixth; timer, Capt. Kean, G. Fifth; scorer, Mountain, K. Sixth.

Shoot

COMPANY G

Sergt Kean	79
Capt. Kean	69
Private Graham	64
Cook Bustead	33
Private Hogan	39
Total	314

COMPANY M

Cook Kirk	48
Sergt Moran	77
Corp. Erickson	77
Musician Callahan	78
Lieut. Christian	72
Total	352

Lieuts. S. R. Waller, range officer.

Bowling

Company G: Bustead, 240; White, 227; Mahoney, 234; Hogan, 294; Armstrong, 267. Total, 1272.

Company M: Mack, 261; Hobin, 277; Tickles, 258; Davis, 283; Kittredge, 246. Total, 1345.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary A. Kearns, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Thomas F. Kearns, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ann Kearns, otherwise called Ann Kerns, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Elizabeth A. Kearns, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

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Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of Mary McGlone, late of Billerica, in said County, deceased:

Whereas Margaret Reddy, executrix of the will of Michael McGlone, who was the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the account of said Michael McGlone's administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of David Lee, late of Pelham, State of New Hampshire, deceased:

Whereas, Abbie J. Clyde, the executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and second accounts of her administration upon the estate of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the next of kin and all others interested in the estate of Caroline E. Newcomb, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Frederick P. Marble, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance the first account of his administration on said estate and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next of kin of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by delivering or mailing post-paid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

8-ROOM COTTAGE AND BARN FOR sale, $2000; modern 7-room house, $2600; modern 7-room cottage, $1850; two tenements, blocks. If you want a home or investments, see Vance, 83 Third st., Centralville.

THE WAUGH PROPERTY FOR sale; situated at 133 Walker st., Lowell, Mass. There is a large lot and very desirable location. Inquire of John W. Genaway, Malone, N. Y.

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Sunday Trains

Southern Division

6.47	7.30	8.45	9.47
7.21	8.03	9.30	10.05
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LOCAL NEWS

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Arthur G. Beharrell, formerly of the City Hall garage, has been appointed manager of the Fiske Tire Co. at the corner of Appleton and Central streets.

Ernest Nelson, for some time a designer at the Merrimack Manufacturing company, has accepted a position with the New Market Manufacturing company of Newmarket, N. H.

The Kin-U-Wink girls held their annual sleighride party Saturday night. The party consisted of about 60 young people, who journeyed to Schofield's in Dracut, where a beautiful supper was served. A varied entertainment program was rendered and dancing was enjoyed until a seasonable hour. Among the invited guests were people from Cambridge, Marlboro, Nashua and Chelmsford. Those in charge of the affair were Carrie L. Mountain, general manager; the Misses Evelyn and Antoinette Benoit and Mary Anne Lambert. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. C. W. Mountain and Mrs. Eddie Erickson.

DIES AT AGE OF 100 YEARS

MRS. BERNARD PIERCE PASSED AWAY AT NORWICH, CONN., TODAY

NORWICH, Conn., Feb. 9.—Mrs. Bernard Pierce, a widow, died at the home of a daughter here early today at the age of 100 years.

NOTICE

DAVID GEROW wishes to announce that he will open his market at 164 and 166 Chelmsford street about Thursday, Feb. 12, when he will be pleased to see his many friends and customers.

IF IT'S AT THE OWL THEATRE It Will Be Good

Have You Seen the New Mirror Screen?

Today's Extra Feature "The Harper Mystery" With Florence Turner, lately of the Vitagraph Company of New York. And Five Other Fine Pictures. Always the best show in town. Reserved 5 Cents. Seats 10 Cents

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LINCOLN DAY IS RECOGNIZED

By Patriotic Service at Kirk Street Church Last Evening

Missionary Work Discussed by Sec. of Baptist Missionary Society

At the Kirk Street church, Sunday night, a service in recognition of Lincoln day was held under the auspices of the Brotherhood, and invited guests were present from the following patriotic orders: General B. F. Butler Post 42, James A. Garfield Post 120, Ladd and Whitney Post 185, G. A. R.; General Banks circle No. 26, Ladd and Whitney circle No. 8, Betsy Ross circle No. 24, Ladies of the G. A. R.; James A. Garfield W. R. C. No. 33, B. F. Butler W. R. C. No. 75; Sons of Veterans; Daughters of Veterans; Spanish War Veterans; Sons of American Revolution; Molly Varnum chapter, Lydia Darrah chapter, Old Bay State chapter, D. A. R.;

REV. C. ARTHUR LINCOLN
Pastor Kirk Street Church

Companies G and K, Sixth Massachusetts regiment, Lowell Mechanic Phalanx, Lowell City Guards, the guests of the Brotherhood.

Besides the special anthems sung by the choir, the congregation joined in the singing of Julia Ward Howe's "Battle Hymn of the Republic" and "The Red, White and Blue," and the male quartet sang "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground" and Star Spangled Banner." Arthur C. Spaulding played Kellar's "American Hymn" and "Hail Columbia," as offertory and postlude, respectively.

Rev. George E. Lovejoy, past chaplain in chaif of the G. A. R., delivered the Lincoln eulogy, referring to him as "The Peerless Patriot." In part, he said:

"No battle chieftain, however great his exploits, has ever been able to arouse such love or such pride as is borne toward Abraham Lincoln.

"No philosopher, however gifted, ever rested so securely in the esteem of an entire nation as has he.

"By all the standards with which we measure greatness, he was preeminently a great man.

"By all criterions by which we discern a divinity in men he was distinctively a God-made man.

"There is no necessity of our devoting time to a rehearsal of those incidents of his life which formed his stairway of fame and world-wide influence. But I submit that the career of Abraham Lincoln gives a mighty accent to the statement that in America we have no royal circles from whose narrow limits the leaders of the people are chosen, while the gaping multitude look on in openmouthed wonder; for, every youth on this continent has as royal blood in his veins as had Lincoln and if he but so wills it, he can rise to an altitude where he will be recognized by all who appreciate true worth.

"Lincoln's religious life manifested itself in religious exercise. He was a habitual worshipper in the sanctuary. Go to Washington, and, walking down the aisle of the New York Avenue Presbyterian church you will come to an old black walnut pew, and, as you ask whose it was, you will be told that when the church was remodelled and the new oak pews were installed that old black-walnut pew was allowed to remain because it was a sacred thing in that church, for in it regularly Abraham Lincoln was found on the Lord's day and a more devout and thoughtful worshipper never lived.

"Would that many of our busy men might take note of this who claim that they get so weary with their work and business during the week that they cannot attend religious services on Sunday, for here was a man more intensely occupied than any other man in the nation, bearing heavier burdens than ever a public official or business man ever carried, and yet his religious sense was so strong that he felt called upon to honor his God by being a regular worshipper with the people of God.

"Moreover Lincoln was a man of prayer. We recall that impressive incident which occurred in the experience of an eminent actor Murdock, that when a guest at the White House during the most critical period of the rebellion, he went to his room, but could not sleep because a cry that approached a groan sounded nearby. His curiosity led him to the corridor and along the hall till he presently looked through a door ajar and saw upon his knees the chief ruler of the republic crying out to Almighty God for His help and guidance in that critical hour of the nation's life.

"Was not Abraham Lincoln a man of God? Yes, by every just criterion by which we measure the religious instinct of a sincere believer. After hearing of the surrender of General Lee and the collapse of the rebellion he caused to be written on the Capitol the words: 'Thanks be to God who giveth us the victory.'

" 'A man of destiny' do you call him? Yea, but more than that: A man sent from God to accomplish God's far-reaching purpose, a man of the people, for the people, serving the people.

Discussed Missionary Work

Rev. Hugh A. Heath, secretary of the Massachusetts Baptist Missionary society discussed the work of the society last night at the First Baptist church. The speaker said he would not utter a word in discouragement of the foreign field, but he emphasized the fact that in America and in this state there is plenty opportunity for good work. The service was attractive, not only because of the very interesting talk by Secretary Heath, but also because of music by the church choir, and a solo by Miss Vivian Cowen, contralto.

"I want to impress upon you the importance of performing work at your own door," said Mr. Heath, "and at the same time I would be the last to say a word in discouragement of the foreign field. We have a tremendous task right here in Massachusetts, because conditions are changing so rapidly, and the methods of yesterday are not the methods of today. In education, for example, the plan of instruction at the present time is a great improvement over that which we thought ideal many years ago. Every department of life has undergone a change, and we must accommodate ourselves as quickly as possible to the new conditions.

"The problem of maintaining the small church in the out-lying districts is one that challenges attention. There are so many who assert that a church that is not self-supporting should receive no encouragement. In a little town out among the hills of Massachusetts is a Baptist church that has only 65 children, and to these children recently, we sent a man bearing a message of good cheer in the Christmas season. Some one criticized our action, on the ground that the expense was not justified in a church not self supporting, but our society takes the position that every church must have a chance to hear the word of God expounded, to the end that ideals may be established which will reflect permanent good.

"Out of that little church I could name you many men who have made their way in the world, who have accomplished great good in various walks of life, and who owe that success to the principles taught in the institution which we have been criticized for helping.

"Another feature of our work which is assuming large proportions is that which arises from the influx of foreigners. Our duty to them is just as binding as it is to other people who have preceded them, for they are here to remain; and from them will come generations that are to advance or retard American civilization."

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CLEAN UP FIRE TRAPS

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Patrick A'Hearn newly appointed building commissioner of Boston, declared emphatically last night that he will enforce the laws against fire hazards regardless of who the owners of condemned buildings may be.

Mr. A'Hearn stated that he will clean out the fire traps in the North and West Ends, which have been allowed to stand for years because they are the property of some of the richest men in Boston.

He said that he had no more interest in one section of the city than another, and that he would enforce the laws in Dorchester as thoroughly as in other districts.

The new building commissioner believes that there are at present a sufficient number of laws dealing with fire hazards, but that they have not been enforced. He stated that he will enforce all of them.

"I want to stop fire hazards," said Mr. A'Hearn, "and I believe the best means of accomplishing this is by the prevention of the erection of fire traps. Boston is spending a million dollars now for a high pressure water service, but why would it not be better to have fire protection in construction?

"There are at present plenty of laws dealing with fire hazards, but they have never been enforced. I believe I am the man to enforce them, and shall do so without showing any discrimination. I shall enforce the laws as thoroughly in Dorchester as in other portions of the city. I am not opposed to the moneyed classes, but if they own property which is considered dangerous I shall proceed against them as I would against anyone else."

UNITED IRISH LEAGUE

LOCAL BRANCH TO HOLD LECTURE AND CONCERT ON MARCH 15 FOR HOME RULE CAUSE

The United Irish league will conduct an illustrated lecture and concert in Associate hall on Sunday evening, Mar. 15, for the benefit of the home rule cause. The subject of the lecture will be Ireland, of course, and the lecturer, Michael J. Jordan, Esq., who has been heard here on a former occasion, has secured a new collection of pictures which are very interesting. As secretary of the United Irish League of America, he is in a position to give the people of Lowell inside information upon the work of the league and the true status of affairs in Ireland, now so much befogged by false reports sent out by the opponents of home rule.

The lecture will be illustrated by an excellent collection of stereopticon views and will not only deal with the Ireland of today but give views of the most notable historic battlefields.

There will be a short address by Mr. P. C. Kelly of Charlestown, who is a good speaker and a staunch patriot, well known by Lowell Hibernians and others. He holds a position in one of the departments in the city of Boston.

There will also be a concert by able singers. The local branch of the league at the last convention pledged $1000 and has sent but $750 of this amount. It is expected the $350 will be netted at this meeting. The final passage of the home rule bill may be taken on or about St. Patrick's day unless some unforeseen obstacle arises to block its passage and again dash the cup from Ireland's lips. Such a thing is possible but not probable so far as the men on the firing line can judge at the present time.

On account of the continuous campaign kept up by the Irish parliamentary party during the last year, the drain upon its resources has been very heavy, and while Mr. Redmond has decided not to make any other appeal, he relies upon all past pledges being redeemed.

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AT ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

Sermon on Propagation of the Faith by Rev. Fr. McGlinchey of Boston—Other Churches

At all the masses in St. Patrick's church yesterday Rev. Joseph F. McGlinchey, D. D., head of the society for the propagation of the faith of the Boston archdiocese, spoke on the work of the society and the great work it is doing in furthering the cause of Catholicity throughout the world. He urged on his hearers the necessity for missionary work and its cordial support, and he advocated a larger membership in the missionary society. The parishioners of St. Patrick's responded generously.

At the high mass at 11 a. m. Dr. McGlinchey gave an eloquent sermon on the work of the missionaries in all parts of the world, often amid unknown perils, of the hardships they undergo for the cause of Christ and of the vast tracts that still wait for the Christian harvester. He referred to the recent missionary congress in Boston and of the enthusiasm which it kindled throughout the archdiocese.

At the conclusion of the vesper service yesterday afternoon Dr. McGlinchey met several hundred of the congregation and enrolled many new promoters in the society he represents. Following the enrollment, he spoke of the satisfaction which the response of the people of St. Patrick's had given him, and he complimented the parishioners, and especially the members of the Propagation of the Faith, for their generosity and charity.

Immaculate Conception

The high mass at the church of the Immaculate Conception was celebrated yesterday by Rev. Fr. Webb of the Tewksbury novitiate, and the sermon was preached by Rev. Fr. O'Brian, who spoke on the high veneration of the Catholic church for the Blessed Virgin Mary, and of the virtues which her life embodies. Veneration for the mother of God, he said, makes us understand the human side of Christ, and it enables us to bring the mysteries of the God-head closer to our frail human nature.

This morning at 8 o'clock the 13th anniversary high mass was celebrated for the repose of the soul of Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I., who died Feb. 3, 1901, but whose memory is still fresh in the Immaculate Conception parish. The tenderness with which his memory is regarded was demonstrated by the large number of parishioners who attended.

St. Peter's

Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan celebrated high mass at St. Peter's yesterday, and Rev. W. George Mullin preached the sermon on the gospel of the day, the parable of the master of the vineyard and the laborers. The vineyard, he said, represents the church of Christ, and the lesson of the parable is that all should strive to work from the first hour uncomplainingly, leaving it to God to decide the payment.

In the afternoon at 3.30 o'clock a meeting of the committees in charge of the parish reunion, Feb. 17, was held and progress was reported by all. Rev. W. George Mullin spoke, and reports were read by General Manager John A. Quinn, Floor Marshal Arthur Cull, and the other heads of the many committees.

Sacred Heart Church

The Holy Name society of the Sacred Heart parish attended the 7.30 o'clock mass yesterday and received holy communion in a body.

At the high mass Rev. James T. McDermott, O. M. I., was celebrant and Rev. John P. Flynn, O. M. I., preached the sermon. The speaker also took occasion to thank the committees and the parishioners who assisted in raising funds for the recent campaign. He also announced that on Tuesday morning mass will be offered for all those who contributed.

The musical program was featured by a beautiful "Ave Maria," in duet by John McMahon and George Kerwin. Both singers were in fine voice and the piece was rendered in a very impressive manner.

Th Holy Rosary sodality will hold its annual entertainment in the school hall on Thursday evening. An excellent program has been arranged for the event and a large attendance is expected.

St. Margaret's

A public novena in honor of St. Rita will be opened in St. Margaret's church tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock, with impressive ceremonies. A relic of St. Rita has been procured from Rome, and during the novena this will be exposed for the veneration of the parishioners.

At the opening services tomorrow evening a sermon will be preached by Rev. William D. Whalen of St. Peter and Paul's church, South Boston, an eloquent preacher.

St. Columba's

Rev. Fr. John A. Degan, pastor of St. Columba's made many important announcements at the masses in that church yesterday. There will be a meeting of the Tabernacle society at 8 p. m. to talk over important business. Tomorrow evening at 8 there will be a smoke talk and business meeting of the Holy Name society at which Mr. James C. Reilly, Esq. will give an address. There will be a whist party in aid of the church next Thursday evening at 8 in the parish hall. At the last mass yesterday, Rev. Fr. Degan expressed himself as much gratified at the result of the parish reunion which took place last week.

St. Michael's

The parish mass of St. Michael's church was celebrated yesterday by Rev. Fr. Denis F. Murphy and the sermon was preached by Rev. Francis Mullin, who spoke eloquently on the gospel of the day. There was a meeting of the junior branch of the Holy Name society yesterday afternoon at 2 p. m.

STEAMER IS STRANDED

ALL EFFORTS TO PULL BRITISH VESSEL FROM SANDBAR FAILED TODAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—All efforts to pull the British tramp steamer Queen Luise from the sandbar off the Seagirt, N. J., beach failed this morning. Three wrecking tugs and the revenue cutter Itasca stood by the stranded steamer all night. The derelict destroyer Seneca returned to this port today from the scene of the wreck for new hawsers, having broken all she carried.

$200,000 Removal Sale

TODAY'S MARKDOWNS

We are continually finding further items that should be reduced in price. The following are today's drastic cuts.

BOYS' $1.50 SCHOOL SHOES at.....98c
Black and tan calfskin, blucher style, also some high storm shoes.

MEN'S $2.00 and $2.50 SHOES at....$1.59
Gun metal, blucher and button, wide last.

WOMEN'S $1.00 and $1.25 WARM SHOES at.....69c
Warm lined shoes, in leather or felt tops, with leather sole.

GIRLS' $1.50 SCHOOL SHOES at....$1.00
Black and tan calfskin, made on nature shape last; all sizes up to 2.

$6 and $8 SERGE DRESSES, Each...$3.75
All Serge Dresses that sold at these prices put in one lot. All sizes in the lot, one or two of a style.

$8.00 and $10.00 COATS at.....$2.89
22 Coats put in at this price, mostly small sizes, different styles.

$6.00 to $8.00 RAINCOATS at, Each...$3.89
Every Raincoat that sold at these prices in this lot, about 32 coats, in all colors.

$2.00 and $3.00 SILK PETTICOATS $1.69
73 Petticoats of heavy Messaline, with or without dust ruffle; all lengths and shades.

69c to $1.00 WAISTS.....25c
About 25 dozen Waists that sold at these prices put in this morning from our regular lines.

WANTED—Saturday Afternoon and Evening Salespeople in the Shoe Department.

MEN'S GENUINE 25c INTERWOVEN HALF HOSE—In silk lisle thread, double heel, sole and toe, all colors, light and heavy weight, all sizes. Removal price, a Pair 17c

MEN'S 50c BLUE BELL CHAMBRAY WORKING SHIRTS—With collar on, made extra big and long. Removal price.....39c

BOYS' 50c JERSEY RIBBED UNION SUITS—In ecru color. Removal price.....29c

ALL OUR 25c PLAIN COLORS AND FANCY FOUR-IN-HAND TIES—Either open or reversible. Removal price.....14c

75c COMBINATIONS—Removal price.....31c
Ladies' White Cotton Combinations, nicely trimmed with hamburg or lace, all sizes.
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75c NIGHT GOWNS—Removal price.....31c
Ladies' White Cotton Gowns, lace and hamburg trimmed, high neck, long sleeves; low neck, three-quarter sleeves.
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Ladies' Silk Lisle Hose, slightly imperfect, all sizes.
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$1.00 DRESSES—Removal price.....69c
Misses' Dresses, made of galatea, percale and gingham, fancy trimmed, sizes 6 to 14 years.
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